

## AN AGED MAN DIES BY HIS OWN HAND

HE PREFERRED DEATH TO  
LONG SICKNESS.

Milthoer Brenner Fires a Bullet Into His Brain While Despondent—Well Known Racine Young Man Is Drowned—Some Other Specials From Wisconsin Cities.

Prairie du Chien, Wis., March 30.—[Special]—Milthoer Brenner, aged sixty-seven years, shot himself through the heart this morning. He had been ill for some months and became despondent. He was well known and universally respected.

Madison, Wis., March 30.—Frederick Gaulke, an old resident of the town of Middleton, committed suicide by hanging. He was about 60 years old. A wife and two children survive him.

### A RACINE MAN IS DROWNED.

Fell Into the Water While Heaving a Line To a Steamer.

Racine, Wis., March 30.—[Special]—Stephen Kiofanda, employed at the Goodrich Transportation company's dock, and a well known young man, was drowned in the river while casting a line for the steamer Indiana. He missed his footing and fell into the water.

### SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS MEET

The Janesville District Association Is In Session at Beloit.

Beloit, Wis., March 30.—[Special]—The Janesville Sunday School Association is holding a convention in the Baptist church in this city today. About fifty delegates from other cities are present.

### Monroe Tickets.

Monroe, Wis., March 30.—At the city and ward caucuses the republicans and democrats placed the following candidates in the field:

Republicans—For assessor, John S. Ball; treasurer, James Fidler; First ward, R. D. Gorham and J. H. Weber for aldermen, and F. E. Leger for supervisor; Second ward, J. Benkert, alderman, Andrew Schindler, supervisor; Third ward, C. W. Twining, supervisor, George E. Throp, alderman; Fourth ward, Andrew Lewis, supervisor, John C. Chadwick, alderman.

Democrats—For assessor, Robert Miller; treasurer, James Fidler; First ward, M. T. Gettings, alderman, Harry Gilligan, supervisor; Second ward, Fred Zimmerman, alderman, L. A. Hodges, supervisor; Third ward, Frank Gassell, alderman, Frank Smock, supervisor; Fourth ward, John Connery, alderman, D. E. France, supervisor.

### Samuel Raymer Dead.

Monroe, Wis., March 30.—Samuel Raymer, a Wisconsin pioneer and one of the early settlers of Green county, died in the town of Cadiz, Saturday. He was the father of George W. Raymer of the Madison Democrat. He was born on New Year's day, 1812, at Harper's Ferry, Va. In 1814 the family moved to Cumberland, Md., and in 1824 to Jefferson, Green county Pa., and here Samuel Raymer grew to manhood on a farm. He was married in 1837, and in 1847 the family started in a covered wagon for Wisconsin. They were thirty-five days on the road. Soon after arriving in the town of Cadiz, Mr. Raymer purchased the farm on which he has since resided.

### The Rifles' Banquet.

Beloit, Wis., March 30.—[Special]—The business men's banquet to the Rifles takes place tonight. Adjutant General O. B. Boardman will be present and deliver a speech. Colonel Ginity of the governor's staff, Col. Schadel and Major Stearns of Monroe, and other prominent military officers will be present. Ex-Assistant Secretary of War J. B. Doe also expects to be present.

### Barn Struck by Lightning.

Shelboyan, Wis., March 30.—The Kalmerton barn, northwest of Shelboyan Falls, was struck by lightning and burned to the ground with contents and some live stock. The loss was \$1,000; partly covered by insurance.

### Fort Atkinson Democrats.

Fort Atkinson, Wis., March 30.—At the democratic party caucus the following named persons were nominated: For mayor, N. D. Brandt; assessor, George P. Klein; treasurer, M. S. Parker; comptroller, Asa Foote.

### Jones Goes to Washington.

Madison, Wis., March 30.—Captain W. W. Jones, filing clerk in the secretary of state's office, has been appointed to his old position of clerk in the Agricultural department in Washington.

### Jonathan Williams Dead.

Whitewater, Wis., March 30.—Jonathan Williams died this afternoon, aged 77. He was one of the oldest

settlers of Whitewater, coming here in 1839. The funeral will be held on Thursday at the Universalist church. The deceased leaves a widow and two sons, Frank Williams of this city, and Professor Leo Williams of Fond du Lac.

### COL. VASSOS DEFIES POWERS

Practically Declares War—English Admiral Confirms the News.

London, March 30.—Replying to various questions in the house of commons Monday regarding the Cretan situation, the parliamentary secretary for the foreign office, Mr. Curzon, said that the best answers to them were contained in the dispatches from the British Admiral in Cretan waters, which he read. One of the dispatches stated: "The general situation in the island (Crete) is that Colonel Vassos has declared open war against the great powers.

### Greeks Eager for Hostilities.

Athens, March 30.—All the best judges of popular feeling here agree that the determination of the Greek people to accept no solution of the Cretan difficulty but the annexation of Crete is increasing steadily. The city is for no surrender. The opposition newspapers denounce the government for showing a disposition to abate the national pretensions, and they characterize any tendency to compromise as high treason. All feeling of despondency has vanished; and the multitude is eager for hostilities to begin.

### William Ready to Help Turkey.

London, March 30.—The Daily Chronicle's Athens correspondent, Mr. Henry Norman, says that he has it from a reliable source that Emperor William has offered to the sultan the services of Gen. Von Goltz and of other German officers if the Turkish government desires to avail itself of them in the difficulty with Greece.

### Situation Becomes Critical.

London, March 30.—The special correspondent of the Times at Salonica says that everything there indicates that the situation is becoming more and more critical. Fifty thousand men are now encamped around Ellassona, and there are 300 Krupp guns between Ellassona and Arta.

### THE WORK OF THE W. C. T. U.

Resume of the Last Year Issued by Miss Frances E. Willard.

Chicago, March 30.—Over the signature of Miss Frances E. Willard, president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, a statement and appeal to the press and public is issued today from the headquarters in the Temple. It is a brief annual resume of the work of the union and the headway that is being made in the interests of the cause of temperance.

In part the report speaks as follows regarding the labors and progress during the last year:

"At the last national convention the paid-up membership was reported as 147,656, but this by no means represents the full number enrolled. There are 250,000 white ribboners in the United States, with a direct following of as many more, besides as many children and thousands of 'brothers-in-law' and 'brother helpers.'"

"Twenty-nine states had gained in membership, eight of which, New Jersey, Maryland, Michigan, Massachusetts, Kentucky, Louisiana, Virginia and Mississippi, each gained 500 or in excess of 500 members.

"The chief efforts for the coming year are to be organization and increase of membership. In these all white-ribboners are urged to co-operate."

### GEN. MOSBY MAY TAKE PART

Ex-Confederate Leader to Do Honor to Gen. Grant's Memory.

New York, March 30.—It is possible that Col. Mosby, the guerilla chieftain who operated in Virginia during the war, will ride side by side with Gen. Grantville M. Dodge in the Grant monument parade as an aid-de-camp representing the late confederacy. Col. Mosby was a close friend of Gen. Grant, who, when elected president, appointed him consul-general to China.

In addition to the Sons of Confederate Veterans, who have been assigned a position in the Grant monument parade, there is a possibility that several companies of militia from southern states will be seen in line. The Richmond Blues of Richmond, Va., will take part in the parade—mustered 250 men.

### Hostilities Are Reopened.

Athens, March 30.—A dispatch received here from Retimo, Island of Crete, says that several British and Russian officers, with a strong detachment of marines, arrived there Monday to notify the insurgents of the decision of the powers to grant autonomy to the island. While the officers were parleying with the insurgent chiefs, under a flag of truce, hostilities between the Turks and Christians in the town were reopened and the detachment retired.

### Hunter's Hopes Grow Dim.

Frankfort, Ky., March 30.—Several pairs were announced and the senatorial ballot resulted: Hunter, 58; Blackburn, 41; Davis, 12; Boyte, 7; Stone, 1. No choice. It is said that Bradley's name will be presented at the proper time to bring about a stampede and his election.

## ST. PAUL IN DANGER FROM THE FLOODS

MISSISSIPPI RISES FIVE INCHES  
IN AN HOUR.

Great Excitement Caused By This Unexpected Turn of Affairs—Arkansas Levees Threatened With Destruction—Break Below Greenville, Miss.—Receding At Omaha.

St. Paul, Minn., March 30.—Great excitement was occasioned on the low lands Monday by a rise in the Mississippi of five inches in half an hour. The water began to back up on the flats east of State street. The ice in the channel of the river broke up completely, forming a gorge reaching from the foot of Spring street to the Robert street bridge. The water has already covered the base ball grounds and is now almost at the door of some of the houses. Part of the Minnesota boat-house at Raspberry island has been torn away by the flood. The St. Paul Boom company's boom at Crosby farm has burst and 500 logs stored there have floated away.

### HAS STARTED A PANIC.

Threatened Break in Arkansas Levees Causes a Stampede.

Hamburg, Ark., March 30.—Robert R. Radford arrived today from Desha county. He says the water is beginning to run over the top of the levee in some places, and that all the fear of danger, which was quieting down, has started into life. The people living in that section are preparing for the worst. Several hundred persons are working on the levees strengthening the weak spots and putting in bags of sand. Mr. Radford says an exodus has set in among people living in the threatened districts, and stock, household goods and all kinds of movable property are being sent out of the low lands to the hills.

### Mississippi Levee Breaks.

Memphis, Tenn., March 30.—The flood situation in the vicinity of Greenville, Miss., is alarming. The reported break at Wayside, nine miles south of that city, is fully confirmed, and the latest reports are to the effect that the water is pouring through a crevasse 500 yards in width with tremendous force. A telegram from Perthshire, forty-eight miles north of Greenville and immediately at the head of the fertile Yazoo delta, states that a break has occurred in the main levee there. Special trains loaded with laborers and sacks of sand have been hurriedly dispatched to the scene.

### River Lower at Omaha.

Omaha, Neb., March 30.—The river gauge at this point Monday morning was eleven feet and six inches. This is three feet lower than it was a week ago. There is no doubt, Forecaster Welsh says, that it will come up again. It was raining all over the lower Missouri and Mississippi valley. To make matters worse the temperature in the Dakotas and Montana is considerably above the freezing point.

### People of New Orleans in Peril.

New Orleans, March 30.—The river is eight-tenths of a foot above the danger line, and the water in some places down town has been running into the gutters. The river is higher and more dangerous looking than it has been since the war, and is filled with big logs and driftwood of all kinds, which have disabled the wheels of several steamboats.

### Six Children Drowned.

Seneca, Kas., March 30.—Six children of John McGrath, a farmer residing in the northwestern part of Nemaha county, were drowned near their home on Sunday evening while attempting to ford Pole creek, which is running bankfull.

### Slight Fall at Quincy, Ill.

Quincy, Ill., March 30.—The flood in the Mississippi fell slightly Monday, and the gauge registers fourteen feet nine inches above low-water mark. There are predictions of another rise in the next few days.

### Condition of Wisconsin Banks.

Washington, March 30.—The comptroller of the currency has issued a statement showing the condition of the seventy-six national banks in Wisconsin, outside of Milwaukee, at close of business March 9. The loans and discounts aggregated \$18,851,356, individual deposits \$19,615,839. The Wisconsin banks owe other national banks \$91,798 and state banks \$344,870, while there is due them from other national banks \$293,732 and from state banks \$124,983. The average reserve held by the Wisconsin banks was 36.17 per cent.

### Bi-metallist Story From London.

London, March 30.—The April issue of the National Review contains a statement that it has received private information from Washington that President McKinley intends to appoint bi-metallist commissioners as extraordinary diplomatic agents in order to be able officially to negotiate with the heads of governments.

## DEBATE IS LIVELY AT THE CAPITAL

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
IN A TANGLE.

Speaker Reed Has to Be Sent For to Straighten Matters Out—New England Republicans Attack the Woolen Schedule of the Tariff Bill—Washington News.

Washington, March 30.—Monday was by far the most exciting day the house has witnessed since the tariff debate began. The proceedings throughout were of a lively order and several times bordered on the sensational. The democrats blocked proceedings in the first instance by demanding the presence of a quorum before allowing any legislative work.

Mr. Dingley announced that the ways and means committee had several amendments to offer. The first increased the rate on gelatin, glue prepared from fish bladders valued at not above 10 cents per pound, from 2 to 2½ cents. The second placed a duty of \$1 per pound on bauxite not refined.

A somewhat sensational scene occurred during the discussion, which necessitated the summoning of Speaker Reed from his room. Mr. Johnson (rep., Ind.) entered an exceedingly vigorous protest against the irrelevant discussions with which the time of the house was being taken up, and after Mr. Sherman (N. Y.), who was in the chair, had ruled him out of order, he continued to protest. Then the chair ordered him to take his seat. Twenty times the irate Indian was admonished to take his seat, but the latter continued his defiance. The greatest confusion prevailed. The speaker was hurriedly summoned. Mr. Johnson then took his seat, and the house proceeded with the debate.

Mr. Bland (Mo.) wanted fifteen minutes to discuss the silver question, but was given five, and during the wrangle Mr. Barlow (dem., Cal.) moved that all debate be ended and that "we close this blamed farce."

A committee amendment adding looking-glass plates to the varieties of glass dutiable at 10 per cent ad valorem was adopted, and then Mr. Bland continued his remarks, and wedged in several five-minute free-silver speeches on various amendments.

Mr. Simpson offered some amendments which were ruled out of order. He also had read a long statement, which he said defined the position of the Populists toward the tariff. It stated in effect that the tariff had been the football of politics for a century, and that the Populists had no faith in the ability of either the Republican or Democratic tariff law to remedy the evils of the existing gold standard.

Mr. Grosvenor expressed regret that a representative of woolen interests should have criticised the duty on wool.

Mr. McCall (Rep., Mass.) expressed the opinion that the duties in the bill were too high. He especially mentioned wool.

Soon after Mr. Lovering (Rep., Mass.), a large manufacturer, followed Mr. McCall's lead, and aroused the plaudits of the opposition by declaring that the manufacturers of New England did not want the duties in the cotton and woolen schedules in the bill, neither the compensatory nor the straight duties. "We want a tariff law that will live and stand," said he. "We do not want to be strangled with free trade, neither do we want to be smothered with protection."

Mr. Walker (Mass.) also attacked the position of his colleagues, and the "extraordinary discussion," as Mr. Dingley termed it, drew from the majority leader a vigorous statement about the cotton and woolen schedules. He said it was the unanimous testimony of the cotton manufacturers that they could not maintain their own in the manufacture of the finer goods without the duties in this bill. The Wilson law, they testified, furnished adequate protection to the coarser goods, which were being manufactured in the South. But the New England manufacturers, including Mr. Lovering, testified to the necessity of these increases. As to the woolen schedule, he said it was substantially the schedule of the McKinley law, and gave the manufacturer no more than the cotton manufacturer obtained. It simply compensated the manufacturer for the duty on wool.

### IN THE SENATE.

#### Another Protest Against Cleveland's Forest Reservations.

Washington, March 30.—Before turning to the arbitration treaty the senate Monday gave an hour to routine business in open session. Resolutions were agreed to, by Mr. Pettigrew (S. D.), asking the secretary of the interior for information relative to President Cleveland's sweeping order establishing forest reserves, and by Mr. Gallinger (N. H.), calling on the civil-service commission for the reason why certain classes of workmen were subjected to competitive examinations contrary to the law exempting laborers from the classified service.

pense of the masses. It went over until today.

Mr. Hoar, from the judiciary committee, reported favorably the bill to prevent kinetoscope exhibitions of prize fights in the District of Columbia and the territories and to prohibit the shipping of material for the exhibition. Mr. Morgan (Ala.) submitted a minority report on the bill for a commission to settle the Central Pacific indebtedness to the government. The bill was passed for the settlement of the account between Arkansas and the United States. It involves a payment by the state of a balance of \$160,000. The rest of the day was spent in executive session.

### Would Make Hawaii a State.

Washington, March 30.—Representative Spaulding of Michigan on Monday introduced a joint resolution providing for the annexation of Hawaii to the United States. Under the provisions of the resolution congress shall consent that the Sandwich Islands may be erected into a new state to be known as the State of Hawaii, with a republican form of government.

### Office for an Ohio Man.

Washington, March 30.—Joseph P. Smith of Ohio has been appointed by Secretary Sherman director of the bureau of American republics, vice Clinton Furbush, resigned, being selected by the secretary from three persons whose names were certified by a special board as having passed satisfactorily examinations for the place.

### HAS AVERSION FOR WHISKY

Gov. Mount Insists on the Removal of an Officeholder Who Drinks.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 30.—Gov. Mount settled the controversy over the management of the southern hospital for the insane Monday by announcing that he would appoint a board pledged to remove A. J. Thomas, the present democratic superintendent. He said: "I have a letter from a prominent democrat in southwestern Indiana, who states that he saw Mr. Thomas take twelve drinks of whisky between Terre Haute and Evansville while returning from the last democratic state convention. The fact that Mr. Thomas is a democrat has nothing to do with his removal. I cannot have such a man at the head of one of the great benevolent institutions."

Superintendent Thomas has a record of fewer suicides and violent deaths than any other hospital superintendent in the state, and the board of state charities favored his retention.

### TEXAS TRAFFIC TIED UP

Heavy Rain Following a Cyclone Demoralizes Railway Schedules.

Austin, Texas, March 30.—The heavy rainstorm that accompanied the cyclone of Sunday has aided in completely tying up railroad traffic and all passenger trains are running from eight to twelve hours behind time, while no freight trains are running. The storm was one of the severest that ever visited the state and has done many thousands of dollars worth of damage.

The storm visited the state from north to south in every direction, touching at San Antonio, Houston, Austin, Galveston, Waco, Fort Worth, Dallas, Denison and all intermediate points, doing great damage to property.

### THE GREAT STRIKE NOW ON

New York Steamfitters to Fight for Their Organization.

New York, March 30.—A strike of the steamfitters in the city, in which between 30,000 and 60,000 men may be involved, was declared Monday, when 1,100 steamfitters refused to go to work in their shops. The strike is the result of a practical lockout on the part of the bosses. The latter announced on Saturday that the agreement hitherto existing between themselves and their employees would no longer be considered and those who wished to report for work this morning must sign new rules. The men have refused to sign, and so the strike is on.

### Purely a Canadian Question.

London, March 30.—The Manitoba school question was raised in the house of commons Monday. William Johnston, conservative, asked if the government would furnish the house with a copy of the Laurier-Greenway compromise, etc. The secretary of state for the colonies, Mr. Chamberlain, replied that the government had no official information on the subject, as it was purely a Canadian question.

### Bloomington Is in the Race.

Bloomington, Ill., March 30.—The bar of McLean county, at a meeting held in the circuit court Monday, took action looking toward the location of the state supreme court in Bloomington. Ex-Gov. Fifer, W. H. Kerrick, Postmaster Eddy, Dr. William Hill and Edmund O'Connell were appointed a committee to go to the state capital and look after the city's interests in the matter.

### Judge Day to Be Sent to Cuba.

Washington, March 30.—President McKinley has a delicate mission for his old friend, Judge William R. Day of Canton, and the Judge has come to Washington to talk over the matter with him and Secretary Sherman. The president intends to have Judge Day go to Cuba and take part in the investigation of the murder of Dr. Ruiz.

## HALL BILL WAS UP IN THE ASSEMBLY

THE FINAL STRUGGLE SEEMED  
IMMINENT.

However the Measure Was Finally Over Until Tomorrow Night—Mr. Wheeler Fights the Board of Agriculture Measure—Fish and Game Law Gets Third Reading.

Madison, Wis., March 30.—[Special] The assembly came close to the great struggle on the Hall anti-pass amendment to the constitution this morning. The substitute, providing an increase of \$5,000 in members' salaries, as well as abolishing free passes, was on the calendar, but was laid over until tomorrow night.

Assemblyman Wiperman introduced a bill making train wrecking murder in the first degree.

Mr. Wheeler of Rock, led an attack on the bill to establish a state board of agriculture, but after some debate the bill was ordered to a third reading by a small majority.

The new fish and game law was ordered to the third reading after about a dozen amendments to it had been adopted, chief of which was one permitting the killing of English sparrows at any season of the year.

In the senate the Rism theater hat bill was reported for killing by the committee on state affairs. The report which was inverse created great merriment.

### GEN. RIVERA IS CAPTURED

Famous Cuban General Now a Prisoner of Spain.

Havana, March 30.—Gen. Hernandez Velasco, continuing his operations in the hills of Pinar del Rio with the columns of troops under his command, was engaged Sunday morning at Cabazadas in the Rio Hondo district with an insurgent force numbering about 100 men under Gen. Ruiz Rivera.

The insurgents were dispersed and their position was captured after an hour's fighting. The troops captured a number of prisoners, including Maj.-Gen. Ruiz Rivera, his chief of staff, Col. Bacallao, and his adjutant, Lieut. Terry.

### President Makes Nominations.

Washington, March 30.—The President has sent the following nominations to the senate:

State—Charlesmagne Tower of Pennsylvania, to be envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of the United States to Austria-Hungary.

Anson Burlingame Johnson of Colorado, to be consul of the United States at Fuchan, China.

William S. Hallenberger of Pennsylvania, to be second assistant postmaster-general.

Interior—Thomas Ryan of Arkansas, to be first assistant secretary of the interior.

Henry Clay Evans of Tennessee, to be commissioner of pensions.

### Illinois Legislature.

Springfield, Ill., March 30.—The house convened at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon and though but few members were present, the session lasted an hour, considerable business being done in the way of the advancement of bills. Mr. Nohe introduced a bill to prevent fire insurance companies organized in states and countries foreign to the state of Illinois from reinsuring or disposing of by treaty or otherwise any liability for insurance on property located in the state of Illinois.

The senate met at 5 p. m. without a quorum present. No business was transacted and immediately after the reading of the journal an adjournment was taken until to-day at 10 a. m.

### Plea for Dunlop Insufficient.

Washington, March 30.—A heavy remonstrance has been received at the white house against the petition for pardon or commutation of the sentence of Joseph R. Dunlop. The contents of the remonstrance will not be disclosed, but it has been strong enough to prevent the president from interfering in the case. It is announced that he will not interfere unless the case is presented in a stronger light than Dunlop's friends have shown heretofore.

### Gov. Tanner's Mansion in Ruins.

Springfield, Ill., March 30.—D. H. Burnham has been in Springfield examining the executive mansion. He says it is in a disgraceful condition, and is sadly in need of repair and refurbishing. If the finances of Illinois were in better condition he would favor a new mansion entirely. But as it is he thinks \$80,000 should be spent for repairs. There is before the legislature a bill providing for the expenditure of \$30,000, but Mr. Burnham says that is inadequate.

### Secretary Sherman Is Better.

Washington, March 30.—Secretary Sherman, who is suffering from a slight attack of neuragic rheumatism, which affects his legs, did not come to the state department Monday, but was reported to be at work at home, and expecting to be at his desk to-day.

### Capital Punishment Abolished.

Denver, Colo., March 30.—Governor Adams Monday signed the bill abolishing capital punishment in Colorado.



## MOVE DISPATCHERS TO THE LINE CITY

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE ST.  
PAUL ROAD'S PLAN.

Racine and Southwestern Division Telegraphic Headquarters To Be Shifted—Republicans Make Nominations—Sunday School Workers Meet—Revival at Evansville.

Beloit, Wis., March 30—It is now fully arranged that the traffic dispatcher's office for the Racine and Southwestern Division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad will be moved from Racine to Beloit on May 1. Quarters will be made in the old freight house for Chief Dispatcher T. H. Melchior and his two assistants. The Southwestern division now includes the company's lines between Racine and Rock Island, Elkhorn and Eagle, Beloit and Janesville, and Rockton and Rockford. The road master already has his office here.

Beloit Republicans.

Beloit, Wis., March 30—The republican ward primaries, which were held last night in the Second, Third and Fourth wards were attended with much excitement. W. T. Robinson was nominated for alderman in the First without opposition. A. M. Belding was nominated alderman in the Second, defeating Prof. A. W. Burr, who has been a prominent figure in temperance politics in this city for years. J. A. Ledel was successful in the Third ward and John Thompson in the Fourth. For supervisors the following were nominated in the respective wards: First, T. B. Bailey; Second, George H. Cram; Third, S. Smith, Fourth, L. W. Kendall.

Wedding Bells at Beloit.

Beloit, Wis., March 30—Miss Daisy Kilroe was married yesterday afternoon to E. H. Straw of Cedar Rapids, Ia., a conductor on the Burlington, Cedar Rapids & Northwestern Railway company.

Mrs. C. E. Gilman.

Beloit, Wis., March 30—Mrs. Clark E. Gilman, aged 68, an old resident of this city, died yesterday of a chronic trouble.

THE RESULTS OF A REVIVAL  
Thirty-Five Persons Are Converted At Evansville.

Evansville, Wis., March 30—Thirty-five persons, united on probation, with the M. E. church Sunday. Nearly all were converted recently at the revival services held by the Rev. W. N. Conoley.

Caucuses At Evansville.

Evansville, Wis., March 30—At the ward caucuses held last Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights of last week, the following aldermen were put in nomination: First ward, William H. Johnson and John Lemmel; Second ward, C. S. Pearsall and W. W. Young; Third ward, Frank Hubbard and Darwin Gliddon. Candidates for supervisors for the three wards were Almeron Eager, P. C. Wilder and F. A. Baker.

Evansville Hotel Sold.

Evansville, Wis., March 30—Frank Kendall has sold the Central house, the leading hotel of the city, to William Johnson who will take possession immediately.

THE PAST WEEK AT MILTON.

Breezy News Notes Gathered By The Gazette Correspondent.

THE GAZETTE AGENCY,  
W. W. CLARK, Manager,  
Milton, Wis., March 30, 1897.

The condition of the roads has made it almost impossible for the grain and swine buyers to do any business during the past. The live hog market despite the light receipts at packing points, was lower at the close of the week than at the opening. \$3.90 was the outside figure.

The anti-license meeting at the Seventh Day Baptist church Monday evening was well attended. The speaker, James M. Dunn of Milwaukee, made an effective argument and strengthened the friends of no license. A feature of the evening was the music under the direction of Dr. J. M. Stillman, the most noticeable number, being "From the Curse of the Cup Save Our Nation," composed by Miss Clara L. Stillman, and set to music by her father, Dr. Stillman.

D. A. Davis, who was injured by a horse last week, has not been making progress in the way of recovery, circulation not being restored in the injured leg. Dr. Ladd of Milwaukee, was called in consultation with Dr. Burdick Monday and after examination decided that amputation was necessary. The leg was amputated that evening, above the knee and the patient stood the operation well, but

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W. B. Anderson of Lake Mills, spent Sunday with Milton relatives. We clip the following item of interest to the many friends of Dr. Williams, from the Milwaukee Sentinel: "The first lecture under the auspices of the Department of Musical Literature of the Milwaukee College Endowment association will be given at the Athenaeum Wednesday evening, April 7. Professor Wardner Williams of the University of Chicago, will lecture upon 'The Romantic Period in Music.' Professor Williams is the head of the department of musical literature of the University of Chicago, and is regarded as an authority upon the subject. The lecture will be illustrated by piano selections. Professor Williams will speak upon the transition from the classical to the romantic period in music, contrasting the two ideals. He will speak of the relation of content to form and treat of the characteristics of the German romantic school, and will give a sketch of Carl Maria von Weber, 1786-1826."

W. H. Greenman is feeling pretty well, thank you. It's a boy, and was born Sunday.

Frank Story hauls his milk in a new platform spring wagon that he bought of Crumb & Ballard, Saturday.

George Jackson has bought an incubator and brooder and will embark in the chicken raising business.

Miss Birdie Miller, who is teaching at Waukesha, read a paper at the Epworth League convention held at Racine last week.

Remember the republican caucus at P. of H. hall, Milton Junction, tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon. We understand that there will be several candidates for supervisors, treasurer and assessor. A wise man said "it is poor policy to swap horses when crossing a stream" and the statement is as true today as when made.

Wm. Oates delivered his '96 crop of tobacco last week. The eleven acres averaged 1300 pounds and despite the fact that it was a hail cut crop and sold at 3 and 1 paid him \$36 per acre.

Rev. Dr. Platts was able to occupy his pulpit as usual Sunday morning. Dr. Crandall returns to Chicago today, preparatory to resuming his university classes.

Miss P. C. Gilbert of Chicago has been visiting friends in this village this week.

The spring term of Milton college begins today with the usual attendance.

Mrs. J. H. Nicholson of Janesville, spent Monday in this village.

Dr. Hyland of Stoughton was called here professionally Monday.

Superintendent Thorne held teachers' examination here Monday and Tuesday. The condition of the roads precluded a large attendance.

WHAT HAPPENED AT LIMA.

News Notes Gathered by The Gazette Correspondent Last Week.

Lima, March 30—Wm. Masterson and wife attended the funeral of a niece in Palmyra Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Studley, of Monroe, visited their aunt, Mrs. A. S. Hull last week. Mrs. Fred Gould entertained a number of her friends Saturday afternoon. Miss Cora Kenyon arrived from Gillingham Tuesday and will spend the summer at Martin Gould's. Jessie Sowers is home from her school in Madison for vacation. Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Jenkins who have been spending the winter with their daughter in Iowa, are expected home this week. Mrs. D. Collins is quite sick with grip. Messrs. Fuller repeated their gramophone entertainment at Holbrook's hall Saturday evening. Owing to the terrible state of the roads the audience was rather small. Mrs. Emaline Brown who has been spending the past few months with her aunt, Mrs. M. A. Child returns to Whitewater, April 1. D. Glynn and wife entertained relatives from Etouhgon the last of the week. Mrs. A. S. Truman who has been with friends in Janesville for the past two weeks, will visit in Rockford before returning to her home here. Miss Della Boers left Friday for Bissell, Wis., where she is engaged for the spring term of school. W. H. Wurster and B. H. Glenman were in Milwaukee on business one day recently. Mr. Higgins is making extensive improvements on his recently purchased property, the House place. Mrs. H. J. Bacon is under the doctor's care again. Mrs. Alice Herrington spent Sunday in Milton. Mr. Elphick shipped a car of cattle the first of the week. O. E. Truman and Nettie were in Janesville Saturday. Owing to unfavorable travel by team Rev. Thayer has not occupied his pulpit here the past two Sunday evenings.

POLITICS QUIET AT AFTON.

Caucuses Will Be Held This Week Flood Did Damage.

Afton, March 30—Local politics are very quiet this spring, but the present week will doubtless see a more lively interest in affairs political, as both caucuses are to be held during the week, the democrats meeting to name their ticket next Friday evening, while the republicans will follow their usual custom by holding their caucus Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The regular monthly covenant and business meeting of the Baptist church will be held next Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Miss Alice E. Eldredge, who has been on the sick list for the last two weeks, is convalescing but will be unable to resume her studies at the Beloit high school for the present. The school in the Happy Hollow district, taught by Miss Clara Root, closed last week with appropriate exercises. In spite of bad roads, there was a good sized congregation at the Baptist

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## M'KINNEY SPEAKS OF THE POOL BILL

SECRETARY OF DRIVING CLUB  
VISITS MADISON.

Tells of the People Who Patronize the Janesville Trotting Meetings, and Denounces Ideal Park As a Disgrace—Makes a Plea For the Speed Developing Interests of the State.

H. D. McKinney was the first speaker against the Wylie anti-pool selling bill before the senate committee on state affairs at Madison yesterday, and The Milwaukee Sentinel gives this account of the debate—"Mr. McKinney is connected with the Janesville Trotting association and began by declaring that he was not in sympathy with the element which has made racing obnoxious in the state. He was a horse breeder and had as many as 175 horses and colts bred for speed at one time. Times had been hard for the business and there appeared to him to be a disposition to destroy what little life there was left in it. He told of the advantages to the state in advertising and material wealth which have been derived from the breeding and development of the trotting stock. He was and is in no sense a sporting man or gambler, but a breeder who trotted his stock in this and other states as an advertisement. At Janesville the officers of the association, he declared, are gentlemen who stand as high as any in the city.

Ministers and Jurists.

"Mr. McKinney described how Catholic priests and Episcopal ministers were to be found among the people at the Janesville races in near proximity to the circuit judge, and he said he would not be surprised if it was cited that the latter had adjourned court to attend a meeting. He said the trotting men would be satisfied with a few days for a meeting, and asserted that the running races he knew as gambling which should be driven out of any community. He said the little fairs do not serve to bring out the best trotters because they could not offer large enough purses.

"He had circulated a petition in protest against the bill in its present form and in a short time had a church vestryman, a bank president, the leading merchant and the other prominent citizens sign it. Given time he would guarantee to get the names of eight out of every ten of the business men of Janesville in favor of what was asked.

The Life of Business.

"In answer to questions from the chairman of the committee Mr. McKinney said that pool selling was the life of the business and that experience in Chicago had demonstrated that there could not be a successful meeting without this adjunct. The pool privileges at Janesville had been sold for about \$700 and the purses offered at each meeting varied from \$8,000 to \$12,000. The people from Chicago and elsewhere who were attracted were liberal and left much money with the merchants of Janesville. The racing of New Orleans and San Francisco were a disgrace to the business. He thought it ought to be stopped and had never hesitated in saying so. Ideal park he characterized as a disgrace to the state, to horse racing, to horsemen and to horse breeders.

Attorney Williams' Plea.

"Attorney Williams of Milwaukee, said he appeared as a man who was something of a horse breeder, although a professional man. He came to urge some amendment to the bill because he regarded it as a menace to one of the large interests of the state. On the subject of running races he also, had 'nothing to say whatever.' [What was urged for the trotting horses could not be offered for them. Horses as developed in Wisconsin he believed were of advantage to the state and desirable both as property and for advertising the commonwealth. Nothing else in his opinion could make the interest or draw the crowd or make a success of fairs like trotting or pacing races, and he did not believe the fact argued that the people were becoming gamblers or corrupted. He had no quarrel with anyone who wanted to stop the running gambling. The question was, could not the bill be modified that all moral interests will be preserved and the interests of the trotting horse breeders conserved at the same time. It was a matter of history, he said, where this stringent law has been tried it had been found undesirable and states which adopted it had either modified it or were about to do so. Mr. Williams thought, or said he did, that laws now on the books were sufficient if properly enforced to stop the evils complained of. The present bill considered purely the gambling question, but was of so sweeping a nature as to involve the wiping-out of trotting meetings and all incentive to horse breeding in the state. 'You can make only such laws effective,' he concluded, 'as the sentiment of a majority of the people will uphold.'

The Connecticut View.

"Mr. McKinney followed Mr. Williams for a moment with some facts he was reminded of. After four years, with no racing, Connecticut had a new law, and Ex-Governor Buckley was president of the racing association. He told of Bonner and the Rockfellers and their fine fast horses and of (Henry Ward Beecher, familiar to all) of whom he said that 'one of the best things he ever wrote was of a ride he took with Bonner.'

"Assemblyman Wheeler of Janesville, spoke briefly for his constituents against the bill. R. M. Richmond, of Madison followed Mr. Wheeler. He

said he had been entertained and instructed and could hear McKinney for hours talking horse with pleasure. But it is not with Mr. Cleveland that the public was finding fault. He was surprised and gratified to see that the opposition had changed tactics. Before the assembly committee the arguments had been in defense of Ideal Park, of which no man present tonight lisped a good word. This bill was opposed there by gentlemen posing as horsemen who spoke for Ideal Park. Tonight respected citizens were talking only for the horse.

Real Friends of the Horse.

"But why?" he asked, do they pose as the only friends of the horse? They argue as if the friends of the bill were making an attack on the horse. I need not say that every man on this side is in favor of the horse and his development but believes that the policy of the state ought to provide for paying for it. I want to put one question to my friends over there. Is gambling essential to the speed of the horse? That question ought to settle the matter not only here with this committee but in the hall of legislation with every senator. Every man loves a good horse and I want to present, as kindly as I can, the attempt of this gambling industry to take shelter under good names. I know Judge Bennett, of Janesville. Does any man here dare call Judge Bennett a supporter of gambling? I don't believe that man lives who would be more prompt to resent such an imputation, and the greatest preacher of the century has been called from his grave to give credit to this infamous business because he loved a good horse. If pool selling isn't gambling I am done. I will go as far as any of you for the development of the horse. If bookmaking isn't gambling I am silent."

Likely to Pass.

It was expected the committee will report the bill today and the general belief was that it would be recommended, for passage and concurred in by the senate without amendment.

There hasn't been much of any opposition and with the exception of the Janesville gentlemen who are credited with sincerity by the Sentinel there is nothing to indicate that there is any new opposition to the measure.

CITY NEWS IN A PARAGRAPH

STRICTLY fresh eggs 9 cents dozen at Sanborns.

The Knights of the Macabees will meet tonight.

JANESVILLE City Lodge No. 90, I. O. O. F. will meet tonight.

BILLY Link's Vaudeville will give a matinee tomorrow afternoon.

This is the regular meeting night for the members of the Rusk Lyceum.

BILLY Link's Vaudeville will play at the Myers Grand again this evening.

Ma and Mrs. O. H. Brand spent Sunday and Monday in Milwaukee and Chicago.

A GAME of indoor baseball will be played at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium this evening.

The Musical-Literary society will meet at the rooms of the Caledonian society this evening.

MEMBERS of the Concordia society installed their new officers last evening, and the ceremonies were much enjoyed.

An autograph social will be given at the Court Street M. E. church this evening, under the auspices of the Epworth League.

A NUMBER of friends of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Bostwick perpetrated a pleasant surprise on them last evening at their home on East street.

An article on the sights seen from the ticket wagon, by Warren A. Patrick, was one of the features of the Route book of the Ringling Brothers circus this year.

FOR sale or exchange. Blickensderfer typewriter in excellent condition. Cost \$35. Owner has no further use for it. Will sell or trade for shot gun or something else of equal value. Address "Typewriter" this office, or call.

BILLY LINK's Vaudeville opened a three night's engagement at the Myers Grand last evening. The company is entirely capable, and they gave an excellent entertainment. None of the performers, with the exception of Mr. and Mrs. Link, have been seen in this city before, and the show is well worth seeing. A matinee will be given tomorrow afternoon.

## Pure Blood

Every thought, word and action takes vitality from the blood; every nerve, muscle, bone, organ and tissue depends on the blood for its quality and condition.

Therefore pure blood is absolutely necessary to right living and healthy bodies. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great blood purifier and the best Spring Medicine.

Therefore it is the great cure for scrofula, salt rheum, humors, sores, rheumatism, catarrh, etc.; the great nerve, strength builder, appetizer, stomach tonic and regulator.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla** Is sold by all druggists. \$1. six for \$5. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass. Get Hood's and only Hood's. Hood's Pills taken after dinner aid digestion.

**J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.**  
THE BIG STORE 20, 22, 24, 26, S. MAIN ST. JANESVILLE, WIS.  
WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP

## New Things Have Been::

pouring into the store so fast the past few days that we have scarcely had time to get acquainted with them.

## 50 Pieces of Wash Goods

came to hand on the 17th instant; they are 31½ inches wide, printed on an extra fine imported cloth by Wm. Simpson, Sons & Co. If we asked you 18 cents for it you would not be surprised. The patterns are very desirable, the colorings excellent. We consider it the best value we have seen. Have put a price on the lot that means quick selling—

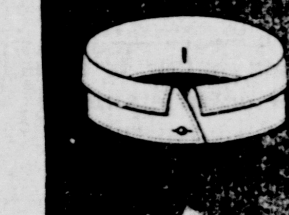
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## The Wash Goods Family

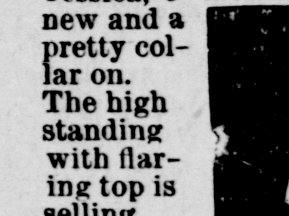
is a large one, judging from the immense variety at this store. We have a beautiful collection in many weights, and in both dark and light effects. By coming here one has the advantage of having the largest stock in Janesville to select from.

## Linen Collars, Linen Cuffs.

There promises to be a larger sale on collars and cuffs this year than for many past. Novelties seem to be the thing this spring, and we show all



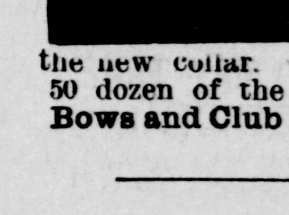
the leading new things. The Tescica, or mortar board, is quite new and a pretty collar on.



The high standing with flaring top is selling well. The half roll, open front and back, in both flare and lay down we show.



several new styles that have gained the approval of critical buyers.



New Ties..... to go with the new collar. Just received 50 dozen of the latest in Band Bows and Club Ties.

## Spring Weights In Jackets

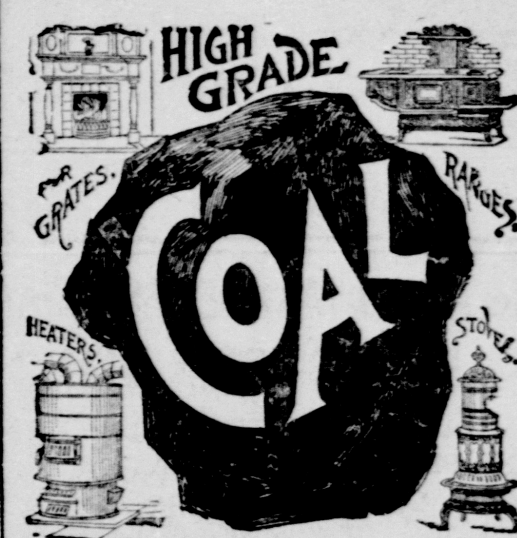
are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

## The Biggest Of All

big values. Nothing like them ever known before. Hard to tell how it's done. We have received 100 dozen Pillows, size 18x18, each one covered with China silk and finished with a 3½ inch ruffle. A large variety to select from. Now for the surprise. They are worth easily \$1.50, but our price is \$1.00.

## Mackintoshes

are a necessity. Tuesday a new lot was received. Several were sold a few minutes after being unpacked. You can rely on ours. They are extra values, being made by the Columbia Rubber Co. of Boston, being a guarantee of good quality. All prices, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.00, \$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00, \$12.00, &c.



Good coal,  
Better satisfaction.  
Best results.

JANESVILLE COAL CO.

P. E. NEUSES, Secretary

Telephone 89.

## One Loaf of Quaker Bread

Worth Two of  
Any Other:::

It's pure.  
It's healthful.  
It's of fine substance.  
As good as any home made.  
Hail the wagon. It passes your door daily.

WEST SIDE BAKERY.

161 W. Milwaukee St.

..PAUL GEHRKE, Prop..

## Johnson's Oriental Soap:::

A medicated soap equal to Cuticura. Two cakes in a package. Retail for 25 cents. For this week we will sell it for

## 10c a Package

To Introduce It.

PALMER & BONESTEEL

DRUGGISTS.

F. R. M. coupons on all cash purchases.



You are invited to call and examine the Reed & Son's Piano. There is no Piano made any finer for quality and tone.

H. F. NOTT.

Write for Circulars or call at 111 Terrace Street.

## Piano Tuning.

The State School for Blind is prepared to send out piano tuners on short notice to do work in the city. The class now under instruction by Mr. Gabler has connected with it some young men who are experts, after taking a four years' course. I will personally guarantee this work. Orders will receive prompt attention. Telephone 25. H. F. BLISS, Supt.

L. R. TREAT,

Real Estate, Loans, Insurance.  
Farms and City Property Bought,  
Sold and Exchanged.

List your property now and be ready for the spring boom.

ROOM 1, CARPENTER BLOCK.

## WOULD YOU

Like to have plenty of berries to last the year through, you how it is done, and, by the way, if you don't happen to have the plants he can fit you out at small cost with first class stock. Write for particulars.

J. D. CURRY, Footville, Wis.

We reface dress skirts and make and repair cloaks. Collarets made to order. Mending and cleaning of all kinds.

MISSISS GIBBONS & M'GINLEY,  
On the Bridge, Room 10, over Weisend's.



## THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

## THE NEWS OF ROCK COUNTY.

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church last Sunday morning, and Pastor McCaw greeted them with a very able and interesting discourse, as usual. It will pay you to come out and hear this eloquent young preacher. The recent high water did considerable damage to the bridge which crosses Bass Creek at the dam, and also wrought much havoc with the dam itself, so that a large amount of work will be necessary to repair the mischief.

## THE WEEK AT MAGNOLIA.

Mrs. Maggie McGovern is quite ill—Quarterly Meeting To Be Held.

Magnolia, March 30—Mrs. Maggie McGovern is very sick with heart trouble at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Ryan. The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bishop, who has been very ill with pneumonia is a little better. Bert Townsend is able to be around the house again. Charles Weaver has purchased a four year old horse for which he paid \$40. George Bars expects to move soon, as Lucius Andrews family are coming in to the house now occupied by him. Fred Edwards has purchased a fine colt. Howard Edwards arrived home from Milton Thursday. John Finerman is gaining slowly. Mary Needham who has been dangerously ill with pneumonia the past week, is a little better. Quarterly meeting services will be held at the Advent church Friday evening holding over Sunday. Rev. Berkey of Monroe, a noted temperance worker, is expected to be present.

## Johnstown Center News.

Johnstown Center, March 30—The people of this place were nearly flooded out Friday, by the heavy rainfall. Mrs. Phillips and her daughter Miss Martha Myers, have returned to their home at the Centre. Mrs. William Rockwell of this place, is visiting relatives at Chicago. Mrs. James Kingley is now rapidly improving. Mr. Blish of Whitewater, was here recently. David Vandenberg of Clear Lake, Ia., was in town and called on friends here March 18. Little Reuben Pomeroy is quite ill with a fever. Mrs. Pickett of Janesville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. William Pembe. Miss Mary Forrest is quite ill with the quinsy.

## SHOWED GOOD JUDGMENT.



"Do you know, Tom kissed my hand last night."  
"He always was discriminating."—N. Y. Truth.

## An Injustice.

De hoss is strong an' smalt beides;  
De pug dog jes' keeps eatin';  
But de pug he dozes 'long an' rides,  
And de hoss, he takes de beatin'.  
—Washington Star.

## And She Smiled Sweetly.

"How frightful I must look!" exclaimed the young woman who had fallen into a muddy excavation in the street.  
"You look," exclaimed the panting but infatuated youth who had lifted her out, "like 150 pounds of extracted

## DANGEROUS SURGERY.

Death Follows the Surgeon's Knife—Not the Surgeon's Fault, of Course—He Can't Help It—You Can.

Pyramid Pile Cure Cures Piles Quickly.

People go along for years suffering with piles. They try this and that and the other thing; from carrying a buckeye to getting treatment from a physician. They obtain temporary relief, but they are never quite cured. A little strain in lifting, excessive fatigue, a little constipation or a little diarrhoea and the piles come back. They don't seem to amount to much, but they banish sleep and appetite. No position is comfortable. There is intense local pain and that dreadful feeling of weight in the perineum. Maybe in the early stages some of the many salves on sale will afford temporary relief. If the case is of long standing there is only one speedy and sure remedy. It is Pyramid Pile Cure. Even in light cases it is the safest thing to use. Other applications may cure and may not. Pyramid Cure is always certain, always reliable, always brings comfort at once. Its prompt use saves months of severe suffering. In extreme cases it will save surgical operations and their attendant dangers and discomforts. It is better than a knife. Will cure easier, quicker and safer. Thousands have used it. Thousands have been cured by it. The cost is trifling compared with what it does. The price is 50 cents. Most anybody would gladly pay ten dollars to be rid of piles. Druggists sell Pyramid Pile Cure. If yours hasn't it he will get it for you from the Pyramid Drug Co., of Albion, Mich. (sole manufacturers.)

## JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES.

Quotations On Grain And Produce as Reported For The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.  
Wheat—Good to best Patent, \$1.10 to \$1.25 per sack.  
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—25c per 10 lb. sack.  
Wheat—Fair to best quality 65 to 75c.  
BUCKWHEAT—30 to 35c per 10 lb. sack.  
BARLEY—45 to 50c per 60 lb. sack.  
BARLEY—Ranges, at 15c to 24c, according to quality.  
OATS—Old, 18 to 20c; new, per 75 lbs., 14 to 15c.  
OATS—white, 13c to 15c.  
CLOVER SEED—\$3.00 to \$3.75 per bushel.  
TIMOTHY SEED—80c to \$1.00 per bushel.  
HAY—Per ton, \$7.00 to \$7.50.  
STRAW—\$4.00 to \$5.00 per ton.  
MEAL—50c per 100 lbs. Boiled \$1.02.  
FEED—50c to 60c per 100 lbs. \$10.00 per ton.  
BEAN—45c per 100 lbs.; \$8.00 per ton.  
MIDDLINGS—50c per 100; \$3.00 per ton.  
POYATONS—20c to 25c per bushel.  
BUTTER—16 to 18c.  
EGGS—47c to 48c per dozen.  
POULTRY—Turkeys, 9 to 10 chickens, 6 to 7.  
WOOD—11c to 12c for washed; 8c to 11c, for us, washed.  
HIDES—Green, 5c to 6c; dry, 8c to 9c.  
FELTS—Range at 15c to 45c each.

## South Dakota in Springtime

Is clothed with verdure green and spotted with beautiful blue and white prairie flowers, tokens of luxuriant soil like that fair country to which Moses led the children of Israel in ancient times.

And like unto that land of plenty, South Dakota outrivals its sister states of the east in the products of its soil, sown, cultivated and harvested in less time and with greater ease than in any other portion of the United States.

And so we say unto you that now is the opportunity of a lifetime to "Go west and buy a farm." For descriptive lists and prices, address Geo. H. Heafford, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

## Home Seekers' Excursions.

Home Seekers' round trip excursion tickets to points in Iowa, Minnesota, the Dakotas, Northern Wisconsin, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Indian Territory, Kansas, Arkansas, Alabama. In Florida on the Louisville & Nashville railroad North and South Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Kentucky and western portion of Colorado will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at half fare plus \$2.00 on January 5 and 19, February 2 and 16, March 2 and 16 and April 6 and 20, 1897.

## Tour of Old Mexico.

Under escort of American Tourist association. Beau Campbell, General manager. January 16 and February 27. Sleeping and dining cars and special baggage cars through all the tour without change. More miles and days in Mexico, more cities and towns than ever offered. Tickets include all expenses, sleeping and dining cars, hotels, etc. Apply to any ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway for further particulars.

## The Hot Springs

located in the Black Hills of South Dakota have wonderful medicinal properties for the cure of rheumatism, neuralgia, and kindred ailments, and should be investigated by all suffering from such troubles. First class hotel accommodations and baths. Tourist tickets on sale daily and especially low rates on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Full information furnished on application to ticket agents C. & N. W. R'y.

Very Low Rate Excursions to the West and South.

On March 16, April 6 and 20, the Northwestern line will sell Home Seeker's excursion tickets, with favorable time limits to numerous points in the West and South at exceptionally low rates. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

## Not Yet.

"Fly with me," he cried, passionately. "Not yet," she answered. "Wait until there is a flying machine in which I can have some confidence. However, I don't mind running away with you."—Chicago Post.

## Following Instructions.

"When were you born?" shouted the lawyer, after he had badgered her for an hour.

"You've told me a dozen times that I must not testify on mere hearsay," she snapped back.—Detroit Free Press.

## The Native Brand.

Bragg (of Connecticut)—How did you find those cigars, colonel?

Vagg—Delicious, old man. We had them for dinner last evening, boiled with corned beef.—Philadelphia Press.

## No Protecting Arm.

Bess—How do you know they quarreled while out driving?

Jess—On the way home he allowed her to fall out of the buggy.—N. Y. Journal.

## Home Pleasantries.

Mr. Jeems—My dear, here is a hair in the butter; it's one of yours.

Mrs. Jeems—It's false, sir.—Up-to-Date.

## Otherwise Not Enjoyable.

He—There is a good deal of power in my arm.

She—I hope the power is on to-night.—Town Topics.

## Relief In Six Hours.

"Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary passages in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by E. B. Heimstreet, druggist, Janesville, Wis.

## THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT.

Rusk Lyceum.

Knights of the Maccabees.

JANESVILLE City Lodge No. 90, I. O. O. F.

Indoor baseball at the Y. M. C. A. building.

Autograph social at the Court Street M. E. church.

Musical-Literary society at the Calcedonian rooms.

Billy Link's Vaudeville company at the Myers Grand.

## New Telephones Put In.

New telephones have been put in Janesville homes and offices as follows:

Whitehead, Matheson & Smith, law office, No. 243, two rings.

Brown Bros. & Lincoln, shoe store, No. 243, three rings.

Dr. E. M. McPherson, office, No. 243 four rings.

Chicago Fruit & Vegetable Co., No. 184, two rings.

E. T. Brown, residence, No. 222 five rings.

## Their Professions.

Two Irishmen were disputing. One of them, speaking of himself, said:

"I am a brick."

"Sure, and I am a bricklayer," said the other, at the same time knocking him down.—N. Y. Tribune.

## A Watched House.

Wife—Why are you putting that horrid revolver under your head? You don't expect burglars, do you?

Hubby—You seem to forget, dear, that we had a ton of coal put in to-day.

—Philadelphia Press.

## Up to Date.

"Why, Frankie, what are you reading in that book about bringing up children?"

"I'm just looking to see whether I'm being properly brought up."—Fliegende Blaetter.

## Certainly.

Prisoner—If your honor will allow me a little time I think I can prove my innocence.

Magistrate—All right; take 30 days.

—Philadelphia North American.

## Similar Motions.

Judge (angrily)—You are trying to throw dust in the witnesses' eyes.

Attorney—No, your honor, I was just trying to motion to him what to say.—Up-to-Date.

## A Valuable Man.

"We pay our minister \$2,500 a year."

"Ours gets \$4,000."

"Has he ever been tried for heresy?"

"No, but he says eyether and nyther."—N. Y. World.

## Excused.

Justice Magnifico—What is your excuse for not serving on the jury?

Juror—I'm an expert witness myself; and I know what fools all those testifying would be.—N. Y. Truth.

## Prepared for the Worst.

Dyer—What did your wife's bicycle cost?

Duell—I can't tell until I receive the doctor's bill.—Town Topics.

## Safer to Elope.

He—Will you marry me if I ask your father?

She—I'm afraid not.—Town Topics.

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT Seven-room house on Cornelia 2d and 3d Cornelia St. In good repair. Nicely located.

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Look at this!—One of the finest modern style homes in the city. Furnace, hot and cold water, gas, water for bath rooms, in fact, complete in every respect, and offered at \$500 less than actual cost, if taken soon. D. Conger.

FOR SALE—Several new modern style homes, from \$1,500 to \$2,500. Enquire at 188 Cornelia St. D. Conger.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Two good business chances. But little money required. Will take city property. D. Conger.

FOR SALE Two boilers suitable for factory work. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE—Household goods. Enquire at 110 North Jackson street.

FOR SALE TO LOAN—Whitehead, Matheson & Smith.

## WANTED.

NOTICE—If you have Western or Southern lands, improved farms, city, village or personal property of any description, list it with me and I can dispose of it for you. D. Conger.

WANTED—By young man attending the school—Place to work mornings and evenings and Saturdays for board. Valentine Bros.

TO EXCHANGE—Equities in city property for western land or merchandise. D. Conger.

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CHAPTER 96.

AN ACT relating to cemeteries.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. The town of Harmony, Rock county, Wisconsin, by resolution of the supervisors of said town, may convey by good and sufficient deed of conveyance all of the right, title and interest of said town in and to the cemetery grounds used as the town cemetery, and situated on the west side of the west half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-five (25), town three (3), north, range thirteen (13), east, to the cemetery association of said town, the corporate name of which is "Mt. Zion Cemetery Association."

Section 2. The Cemetery Association of the town of Harmony, Rock county, Wisconsin, the corporate name of which is "Mt. Zion Cemetery Association," is hereby authorized and empowered to receive, take and hold the title to the cemetery grounds used as the town cemetery in the said town of Harmony, mentioned in the first section of this act, and hereafter have full and exclusive care, control and management of the same.

Section 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 26, 1897.



## These Two Baskets

are several days apart. To shorten the time and lighten the journey between, is to bless woman-kind who are all looking for the best bridge over; and this is the mission of Santa Claus Soap. It has long been used by thousands of thoughtful women who believe in saving themselves unnecessary labor.

## SANTA CLAUS SOAP

is made to wash with, and it washes just right. It foams readily, rinses easily, cleans perfectly. Snowy, sweet and uninjured clothes follow in the train of SANTA CLAUS. We ask for it an introduction next Monday morning. Sold everywhere.

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THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY, Chicago.

SPRING SHOES  
The Representative  
Stock of the City...

All the variety the hardest to please could ask for. Burt & Packard's complete line of "Kor-rect Shape" Shoes.

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"Kor-rect Shape."



Elegant Shoes for

\$4 and \$5



Stacy, Adams & Co. peach toe combination tan, simply out of sight. We have beautiful tan shoes for

\$3.00 and  
\$3.50.....

No reason why men should not wear tan shoes of the latest styles. You don't have to spend such an enormous amount to get them.

## Talk About Ladies' Shoes—

We can scoop them all—Ox-bloods and Chocolates in all shades and the late popular Bottle Green. You will agree that so far we have shown the superior line of the city. This spring's stock is ahead of any yet. It is easy to convince you if you will come into the store and see the shoes—it's a pleasure to show them. Please remember our stock is all new—no old numbers to show.

Miss Rose McConnell drew the last wheel; are you the person to get the bicycle we will give away April 22. A numbered coupon with every 50c cash purchase.

## Bennett and Luby,

ON THE BRIDGE.

Our free shine chair runs every working day in the year.

We've  
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Some

NEW IDEAS

Let us put them in your  
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GAZETTE PRINTING CO.

Week's  
Special  
Sale  
Laces  
and  
Embroid-  
eries :: ::

Our counters will be filled with laces and embroideries during the entire week. Our line of embroideries consists of Hamburgs, Nainsooks, Swiss, Cambric and Guipure Embroidery, also the narrow colored edges.

The Hamburg Embroider- commence at 1½c per yard and run to the best qualities.

Fine Embroideries at 2c, 3c 4c and 5c—quite wide.

Our 10c lot will equal any shown at 15c. Every piece of Embroidery reduced for this sale.

In Laces we show Orientals Valenciennes, the new Maltese Laces and Linen and Cotton Torchons in both white and cream.

Silk Laces—all widths, both white and cream, six-inch width, at 23c.

Black Laces—all widths.

Every Piece of Lace in entire stock reduced for this sale.

H. HOFFMASTER & SON,  
18 South Main St.

No Fooling  
About Meat.

Your daily order is safe with Kammer if you want

A STEAK,  
A CHOP,  
A ROAST,  
A BOIL-

ing piece. Our wagons take your orders every morning. All you do is telephone 219. We do the rest.

Corner Western and Center Ave  
Telephone 219.

EUROPE, HOLY LAND,  
ROUND THE WORLD

Parties leave April 24th, May 8, June 5, July 3, 7 for Europe; \$250 and up; Sept. 11. Round the World, Mediterranean cruise, \$300, Feb. 11, 1898. CLARK'S AMERICAN TOURIST AGENCY 111 Broadway, New York.



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## THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1810—John Croason Troutwine, engineer, famous on isthmus of Panama, born in Philadelphia; died 1883.  
1856—The treaty of Paris ended the Crimean war. The principal clauses were the evacuation of conquered territory, the neutralization of the Black sea and the admission of Turkey to the system of Europe.  
1862—Gordon Cunningham, famous "lion hunter," died; born 1833.  
1894—Jane Austin, American novelist, died in Boston; born 1832.  
1895—Anson G. Hesing, noted German editor in Chicago, died; born 1823. Mrs. Parson Stevens, social leader in New York and Newport, died.  
1896—Ex-Governor Thomas Seay of Alabama died at Greensboro. Rabbi Aaron Wise died in New York city; born 1844.

## The City Ticket.

Mayor.....STUART B. HEDDLES  
City Clerk.....ARTHUR E. BADGER  
Street Commissioner.....GEORGE PALMER  
School Com'r-at-Large.....C. L. VALENTINE  
Bender of Weights and Measures.....G. H. DAVEY  
Justice of the Peace.....L. F. PATTEN

## First Ward.

Alderman.....WALTERS, RICE  
Alderman.....FRANK E. FIFIELD  
Supervisor.....C. E. BOWLES  
School Commissioner.....JAMES SHEARER  
Constable.....JAMES L. HARPER

## Second Ward.

Alderman.....S. C. BURNHAM  
Supervisor.....C. D. CHILD  
Constable.....A. K. CUTTS

## Third Ward.

Alderman.....H. S. GILKEY  
Supervisor.....J. L. BEAR  
School Commissioner.....JOHN CUNNINGHAM  
Constable.....WALLACE COCHRANE

## Fourth Ward.

Alderman.....J. M. MARZLUFF  
Supervisor.....JOHN M. WHITEHEAD  
Constable.....DAVID LAWRENCE

## Fifth Ward.

Alderman.....CHARLES M. WARREN  
Supervisor.....J. W. HOGDON  
School Commissioner.....J. G. WRAY  
Constable.....A. W. MITCHELL

## NOT TO THEIR LIKING.

The protest of democrats against the hybrid ticket that self-chosen managers have put in the field this spring grows louder and louder. Democrats ask one another what the par will gain by joining in such nameless and senseless philanderings. They believe in a responsible administration of city affairs. They take no stock in administrations that represent nothing but the whims of one man. They see no reason why they should be asked to fight the battles of a candidate with whom they have nothing in common. The fact that his candidacy was encouraged by certain members of their own party seeking to make a record for political deftness, does not move them. Their long experience leads them to rate such strategy at its actual value, and to call it cheap rather than clever.

## WHERE THE MONEY WENT.

The city would have saved two thousand dollars had Alderman Heddle's advice been taken in the water works case. Mr. Heddles wanted an investigation made before the case was taken into court. He wanted the matter handled as any good business man would handle his own affairs. He put forth this view at every opportunity and before the controversy ended his judgement was vindicated.

After two years of costly litigation the council was led to adopt his plan and to "take account of stock." The figures secured were worth having, but they might have been had much cheaper had the case been begun properly.

Alderman Heddles' judgment has been good in every instance. With him in the mayor's chair there will be no fear of city interests suffering in any respect.

Having found the "water works" pcker very hot the democratic managers have dropped it and are burning their fingers on the "economy" handle. One dry seems to be all they can stand of any issue.

Mr. Thoroughgood was the first mayor who ever put the city in debt by borrowing money on notes. The promise of skin-tight economy, it should be recollected, is not borne out by experience.

Nobody questions Mr. Thoroughgood's many excellent business qualities, but never until this year has he run on the platform of municipal and ward economy.

The democratic managers who tried to use the water works issue in the mayoralty campaign begin to think they meddled with a hot-water works.

Iowa Women to Hold Conventions.  
Marshalltown, Iowa, March 30.—The women who desire equal rights commenced Monday their systematic invasion of Iowa, holding their first county convention in this city. They intend to hold similar conventions in every county in Iowa.

## CHICAGO MARKETS BY WIRE

Chicago, March 30.—[Special]—Our reports from Kentucky continue to be perfect in condition, an increase in acreage. Our reporter will not proceed to Missouri to look at the dead wheat so freely advertised by the St. Louis bulls. I expect to hear of great improvement in conditions as the result of late fine weather in the northwest. The snow is gradually melting, and no apprehension need be felt as yet. In this latitude the season is fully as much advanced as usual and rather more so. This leads us to look forward with confidence to the usual seed time and to a decline in the price of July wheat. If wheat at the last quarter of the crop year, during which all the great statisticians at home and abroad predicted starvation, cannot be kept above 75 cents then it is useless to try to bull the new crop above 70 cents for nothing is plainer than that the growing crop in the world will be larger than last year, and very much larger in this country. Why then should we buy the new crop when the old is not wanted and we have so little of it? There is no sense in it and not a bushel of July wheat will be bought on my advice above sixty cents. New conditions are presented but it is useless to cross a bridge before we get to it. At present the tending is clearly towards lower prices and may will go with July if indeed it does not lead. The crop killer has done his best and improvements will be reported from now on. Large owners of May and cash wheat will naturally try to shake out small holders. They do not want anybody to interfere with their program to control cash wheat and get the crowd to buy. July corn and provisions have been practically unchanged. The under-ton is fair but the weakness in wheat has prevented an advance. The rally towards the close in wheat was on reports of a fight in Macedonia. This sort of news will prevent the bears from making any money.

## ROBERT LINDBLOM.

Chicago Board of Trade quotations furnished by The Gazette by Robert Lindblom & Co., to Spahn & Law Commission Co., No. 24 West Milwaukee street.

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.
May Wheat.....	72 3/4	72 3/4	71 3/4	71 3/4
July Wheat.....	70 3/4	71	70 3/4	70 3/4
May Corn.....	24 1/4	24 1/4	24 1/4	24 1/4
July Corn.....	25 3/4	26	25 3/4	26
May Oats.....	17 3/4	17 3/4	17 3/4	17 3/4
July Oats.....	18	18 1/4	18	18 1/4
May Pork.....	\$8 52	\$8 57	\$8 50	\$8 55
July Pork.....	8 67	8 67	8 67	8 67
May Lard.....	4 22	4 22	4 22	4 22
May Short Ribs.....	4 62	4 62	4 62	4 62

Liverpool cables 1 1/2 penny lower.  
Minneapolis and Duluth receipts: Wheat 777 cars, Puts 703. Calls 72 1/4-1 1/4. Curb 71 1/4-1 1/4.  
Chicago hogs 13,000. Estimated for tomorrow, 24,000.

## A DAY'S NEWS IN THE TOWN.

ARCHIE Reid & Co., hosiery tomorrow.

PILLSBURG flour at Sanborns only \$1.00 a sack.

SANBORN & Co. have Masturbation and sweet pea seeds in bulk.

ARCHIE Reid & Co. will sell hosiery tomorrow. Large ad. page 4.

LETTUCE, radishes, celery, beets, carrots, fruit today at Sanborn's.

MILLINERY opening tomorrow afternoon and Thursday at M. A. Morrissey & Co's.

LANDRETH garden and flower seeds give the most satisfaction. Sanborn sells them.

If you want your garden to yield the most, plant with Landreth seeds. Sanborn sells them.

WINSLOW is selling Dunkley's celery sauce 15 cents a bottle, not celery salt as the Gazette of last evening stated.

M. A. MORRISSEY & Co's millinery opening Wednesday afternoon and Thursday. Ladies particularly invited to inspect the beautiful display.

ARCHIE Reid & Co. announce their first showing of spring millinery Wednesday afternoon and Thursday. Center window contains a beautiful display.

Rock River Methodist Conference.  
Rockford, Ill., March 30.—There are 100 ministers in attendance on the mid-year session of the board of examination of Rock River Methodist Episcopal conference. The meeting opened here Monday evening and will continue until Thursday evening. Lectures are to be delivered by specialists in different departments of theology during the course of the meeting.

## Jump From a Fast Train.

Oskaloosa, Iowa, March 30.—Two convicts en route from Montezuma to Fort Madison escaped from a passenger train on the Iowa Central moving at the rate of 40 miles an hour, Monday night three miles north of this city. They are still at large. The men were handcuffed together. A posse is searching for them in the vicinity of their escape.

## Mgr. Del Val Is Discreet.

New York, March 30.—Mgr. Merry del Val, the papal delegate to Canada, celebrated mass in the chapel of Archbishop Corrigan's residence Monday. After breakfast he received Bishop Farley, M. J. Lavelle and a number of the clergy of the archdiocese. The delegate declined to discuss the various phases of the school question or dominion politics.

## United Press Has Assigned.

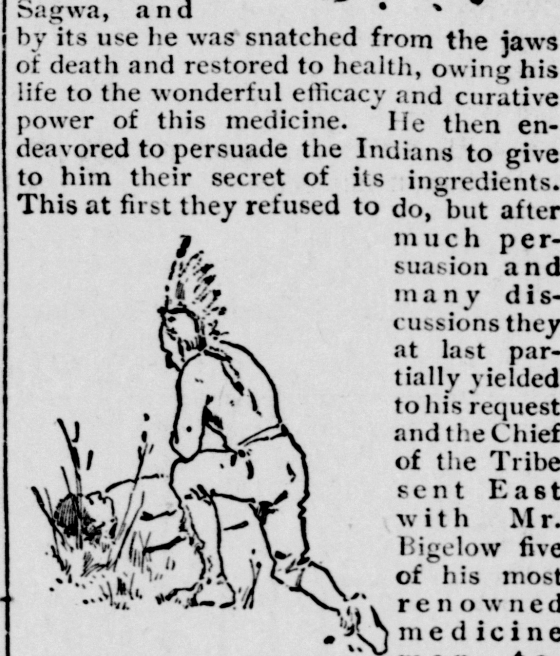
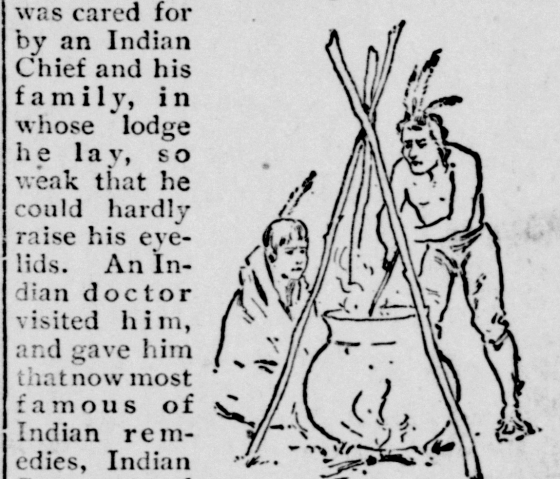
New York, March 30.—The United Press having its principal office in this city, at a late hour Monday afternoon filed in the county clerk's office an assignment for the benefit of its creditors to Frederick C. Mason. Mr. Mason is the auditor of the corporation. The assignment papers are filed by Charles A. Dana, president of the corporation.

## ITS HISTORY.

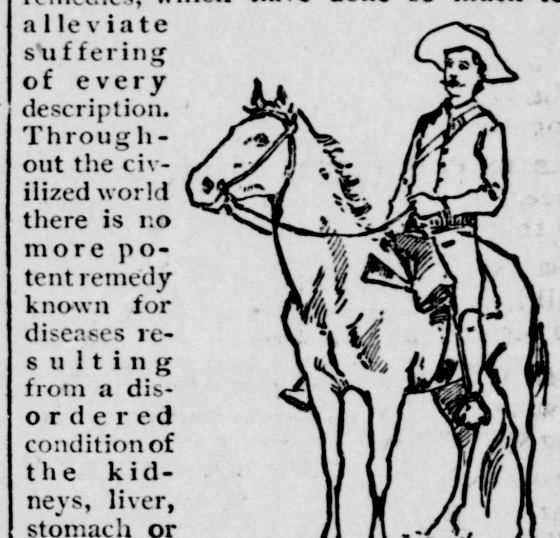
How Texas Charlie's Life Was Saved by the Indians.

THE ADVENTURES OF A UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT SCOUT. THE SAME REMEDY THAT EFFECTED HIS CURE NOW USED THROUGHOUT THE CIVILIZED WORLD.

SOME years ago Mr. Chas. Bigelow, now one of the proprietors of the famous Kickapoo Indian Remedies, was acting as a government scout in the Indian territory. He was known at that time as "Texas Charlie," and while on one of his expeditions was taken sick with a severe fever, and for a few days lay at death's door. During his sickness he was cared for by an Indian Chief and his family, in whose lodge he lay, so weak that he could hardly raise his eyelids. An Indian doctor visited him, and gave him that now most famous of Indian remedies, Indian Sagwa, and by its use he was snatched from the jaws of death and restored to health, owing his life to the wonderful efficacy and curative power of this medicine. He then endeavored to persuade the Indians to give to him their secret of its ingredients. This at first they refused to do, but after much persuasion and many discussions they at last partially yielded to his request and the Chief of the Tribe sent East with Mr. Bigelow five of his most renowned medicine men, together with an ample supply of the roots, herbs, barks, gums, etc., used in the manufacture of their medicines. What started thus in a small way has ever since increased, and to-day there is manufactured from similar materials gathered by the Indians themselves, their famous remedies, which have done so much to



alleviate suffering of every description. Throughout the civilized world there is no more potent remedy known for diseases resulting from a disordered condition of the kidneys, liver, stomach or blood than Kickapoo Indian Sagwa. This together with their Kickapoo Indian Worm Cure, Kickapoo Indian Salve and Kickapoo Indian Oil makes a list of remedies that will accomplish a cure in all classes of sickness. These can be obtained at any druggist.



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## RIDERS' RACKET STORE..

Children's steel wagons, \$1. \$1.25, \$1.50.  
Children's iron wheelbarrows 65c.  
Children's stick horses, 15c.  
Children's Books, Blocks, Games, Marbles, Tops, Horns Dolls, Jumping Ropes, Tea Sets, Drums, Doll Carriages, Penny Toys, School Supplies.  
Large 3-sewed house broom, 15c.  
Good Tinware and Kitchen utensils were never so cheap.  
Try our uncolored Japan Tea, 25c.  
Corn and Gloss Starch, 1-lb papers, 4c.  
Big box Bluing or big cake of scouring soap, 5c.

RIDER'S, near Grand Hotel  
163 W. Milwaukee St.

## CITY COAL YARD

All grades of Anthracite Hard Coal  
Cannel Coal, Hocking Valley Coal,  
Wilmington Lump Smokeless Coal,  
Best Pokahontas, Dry Pine Slabs,  
Dry Oak Slabs, Kindling Wood for summer use.

Call and see us—cheap for cash

Crossett & Bonesteel,  
Agents,  
Anti-Combine Coal Dealers.

## The Harvest....

of business is rapidly approaching. If you would be one of the harvesters sow the good seed of a thorough business education.

Janesville Business College.

## Election Notice.

Office of County Clerk,  
March 27, 1897.

## To the Electors of Rock County:

Notice is hereby given that a judicial and municipal election is to be held in the several towns, wards and election precincts in the county of Rock on the sixth day of April 1896,

at which the officers named below are to be chosen. The names of the candidates for each office to be voted for, whose nominations have been certified to this office are given under the title

of the office and under the appropriate party or other designation each in its proper column and the questions submitted to a vote are stated below.

## INFORMATION TO VOTERS.

The following instructions are given for the information and guidance of voters: A voter upon entering the polling place, and giving his name and residence, will receive a ballot from the ballot clerk, which must have endorsed thereon the name or initials of both ballot clerks, and no other can be used. Upon receiving his ballot, voter must retire, alone, to a booth or compartment, and prepare the same for voting. A ballot clerk may inform the voter as to the proper manner of marking a ballot, but he must not advise or indicate in any manner whom to vote for. The voter must make a cross X after the name of each person for a certain office, whose name is not on the ballot, he

must write his name in the blank space under the printed name of the candidate for the office. The ballot should not be marked in any other manner. If the ballot be spoiled, it must be returned to the ballot clerk, who must issue another in its stead, but not more than three in all to any one voter. Five minutes time is allowed in booth to mark ballot. Unofficial ballots or memorandum to assist the voter in marking his ballot, can be taken into the booth and may be used to copy from. The ballot must not be shown so that any person can see how it has been marked by the voter. After it is marked it should be folded so that the inside cannot be seen, but so that the

printed endorsements and signatures of the ballot clerks on outside can be seen. Then the voter should pass out of the booth, give his name to the inspector in charge of the ballot box, hand him his ballot to be placed in the box and pass out of the voting place. A voter who declares to the presiding officer that he is unable to read, or that by reason of physical disability he is unable to mark his official ballot, can have assistance of one or to election officers in marking same, to be chosen by the voter. The presiding officer may administer an oath, in his discretion, as to such person's disability. The party designations and candidates for the different offices are as follows:

## Official Ballot.

Mark a cross (X) opposite the name of the person you wish to vote for or write his name in the blank space under the name erased.

INDIVIDUAL NOMINATIONS.		
For Justice of the Supreme Court....	ROUJET D. MARSHALL.....	A Non-Partisan Judiciary....
For County Judge.....	JOHN W. SALE.....	A Non-Partisan Judiciary....

For Amendment to Section 7 of Article 7 of the Constitution of Wisconsin.....

Against Amendment to Section 7 of Article 7 of the Constitution of Wisconsin.....

If you wish to vote for the Amendment make a cross (X) in the space opposite the upper line. If against it, Opposite the lower line.

W. J. McINTYRE, County Clerk.

NO MORE TRUSSES FOR ME.

**RUPTURE CURED**

IN 30 TO 60 DAYS.  
No Surgical Operation.  
No Severe Pain.  
No Loss of Time.  
No Pay until Cured.

EXAMINATION FREE.  
Over 180 Persons Cured in Rockford, Ill., and vicinity during the past two years.

Send for Circulars.

WINN & SOVEREIGN,  
EXCLUSIVE OWNERS OF

**Fidelity Rupture Cure**

Home Office, Brown Bldg., ROCKFORD, ILL.

AT JANESVILLE, WIS., EVERY TUESDAY,  
Office over Brown Bros. Shoe Store.  
9:30 TO 12 A. M. AND 1 TO 5 P. M.

## GLASSWARE!

A GRIST OF IT .....

All kinds of dishes and sets; a big invoice just received. We are going to sell it cheaper than any other store in the city. Come in and see the line. Our Prices are always low. Will give you figures in a day or two that will surprise you.

**THE BOSTON STORE.**  
7 and 9 River St.

**RUMMAGE THROUGH THE STOREROOM**

Get your Magazines together and have them bound.

65c

for a substantial cloth and leather binding. Magazines are worth taking care of.

**W. E. CLINTON & CO**  
32 S. Main St. Janesville.  
(Over Conrad & Co.)  
Telephone 22

## Hosiery for Wednesday.

More Popularity for the stocking store—'tis economy to buy your season's supply at this sale. Your neighbors do; why not you? If you have been buying hosiery elsewhere, try our department and see how much better values you get.

5 cents. Children's ribbed fast black hose, sizes 7, 7 1/2, 8 and 8 1/2.

5 cents. Ladies' fast black bundle hosiery—seamed foot.

5 cents. Men's blue or brown heavy mixed socks, seamless, ribbed top.

10 cents. Men's extra heavy weight fast tan or fast black half hose, sizes 9 1/2 to 11 1/2.

10 cents. The "Albert" stainless black or tan color ladies' seamless hosiery, such as some stores call great values at 19c.

10 cents. Misses' and Children's "Diamond" fast black, fine ribbed stockings, high spliced heel, no seam in foot; sizes 6 to 9 1/2.

15 cents. Men's "Royal" stainless black and tan half hose, double sole high spliced heel, sizes 10 to 11 1/2; 25c value.

15 cents. Ladies' "Royal" stainless black, double heel and toe, imported, regular made, nine gauge, the usual 25c value; sizes 8 to 10.

19 cents. Boys' "Ipswich" heavy bicycle hose, the kind that will stand the racket that boys give them; sizes 7 to 10.

**Wednesday** Miss O'Neil and **Thursday** announces first showings for spring of '97. You are invited.

**ARCHIE REID & CO.**



## HAVE MORE POWER TO RUN THE CARS

STREET RAILWAY LINE TO BE  
FIRST CLASS.

Two Boilers Will Be Used In Place of One, and Steep Grades Will Not Stop the Cars Hereafter—The Old Engine To Be Re-paired.

The same engine that stood the test of time in the service of the Janesville Street railway, will be used in the new power house that is now in the course of erection on Eastern avenue. This will mean the saving of a goodly sum to the stockholders. For additional power Owner Blabon has decided to purchase a new boiler which will be used in addition to the one that is now owned by the company. This additional power thus afforded will do away with much annoyance to both the patrons and managers of the line, and the cars will have no trouble in ascending the steep grades.

Superintendent Cummins and a crew of men commenced work this morning, to remove the large engine and machinery from the ruined power house on Academy street. A close examination fails to reveal any serious damage to the machinery, and the apparatus can be put in first class shape at a nominal cost. New dynamos will be purchased, which will require an outlay of a goodly sum and it is expected that these will be purchased by Mr. Blabon in the east. A local stockholder this morning said that a road that would be excelled by none in the state would soon be in operation in this city, and that it was the hope of all interested in the venture that the citizens would show appreciation by liberal patronage.

## THE YOUNG MEN FORM A CLUB

Gymnasium Will Be Equipped and Officers Are Elected.

Fifteen young men residing principally in the Fourth and Fifth wards have formed the "Young Men's Pleasure club and officers have been elected as follows:

President—Henry Casey.  
Secretary—Justin Gokey.  
Treasurer—Carl Williams.  
Neatly furnished club rooms have been secured in the building at the corner of River and Dodge streets, and it is the intention to have a well equipped gymnasium. A business meeting will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

## F. E. FIFIELD IS NOMINATED

First Ward Republicans Choose Him As Their Candidate.

The republicans of the First ward held a caucus at the West side fire station last evening, to nominate an alderman to succeed S. B. Heddles. David Conger was chosen as chairman, and Silas Hayner secretary. Dr. E. H. Dudley presented the name of Frank E. Fifield, and George H. Davey seconded the nomination. Mr. Fifield was then chosen by acclamation. This nomination is a strong one, Mr. Fifield being one of the best known business men in the city, and his majority will be very large.

## LOCAL DOCTORS AT MADISON.

Quarterly Meeting of the Central Wisconsin Medical Society.

The fourth quarterly meeting of the Central Wisconsin Medical society was held in Madison today and Janesville physicians were in attendance. At the forenoon session Dr. J. P. Thorne of this city was to read a paper on "Ophthalmic Notes," while Dr. J. B. Whiting was to open a discussion on "Conditions of Old Age and its Diseases." At the afternoon session Dr. James Mills was scheduled to read a paper on "Pelvic Inflammation."

## HIGH WATER DELAYS THEM.

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson Are On the Raging Mississippi.

High water in the Mississippi river has delayed the home coming of Mr. and Mrs. Victor P. Richardson, who were expected to arrive yesterday. They are making the trip to St. Louis from New Orleans via the river, and a letter from them says that on account of the high water and the swift current their boat is only making one-half schedule time. The river is several miles wide in many places.

## GUESTS WORE GHOSTLY GARB

A Sheet and Pillow Case Party Was Much Enjoyed.

Last evening twenty ghostly figures took possession of the Locust street home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Talmadge, the event being a "sheet and pillow case party." Following the unmasking scene a genuine German lunch was served. The honors at the progressive clinch table were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Sanborn, while Mrs. E. J. Smith and George D. Simpson received consolation prizes.

About That Spring Dress.

Most every lady plans for a new spring dress and a number of them have their plans materialize. We want to say to all the ladies that if they are particularly economically inclined we can save them some money this spring. Our stock is very complete in all the different grades and perhaps if you had given up the idea of purchasing on account of the expense, we could make it possible through cheap prices for you to secure the dress. Come in and look our stock over. Bort, Bailey & Co.

## A COLUMN OF LOCAL GOSSIP.

MARCOONS.  
RICHARDSON'S MARCOONS.

MARCOONS \$2.85 at Richardson's.  
EGGS 9 cents a dozen at Sanborn's.  
ALL styles tan shoes \$2.85 at Richardson's.

New lean pork only 5 cents a pound at Sanborn's.

\$2.85 buys a splendid shoe for spring at Richardson's.

ALL the choice large bananas you want 10c a dozen at Sanborn's.

ONE square piano for rent at \$1 per month. H. F. Nott, 111 Terrace St.

LIVE stock for Chicago shipment was received at the stock yards today.

L. L. LEFFINGWELL has moved into the residence at No. 18 Milton avenue.

WANTED—A competent girl at 52 Milwaukee avenue, by Mrs. J. B. Whiting.

A BABY boy was born to Mrs. D. Howland at Oak Lawn Hospital yesterday.

ONE upright piano almost new, for rent. This is a bargain. H. F. Nott, 111 Terrace St.

Mrs. WALTER SMITH, of Division street, was admitted to Oak Lawn hospital today.

ARMOUR'S Star hams only 11 cents a pound. Armour's picnic hams 7 cents a pound. Sanborn.

RICHARDSON'S maroon shoes at \$2.85 to \$4 for ladies are the proper foot wear this spring.

Few more of those \$1.17 shoes for ladies left. Good sizes, great bargains. Richardson.

SANBORN has a very fancy Java and Mocha coffee of superb flavor 30 cents a pound, 4 pounds for \$1.

OUR immense line of colored dress goods is taking wonderfully well with the ladies. Bort, Bailey & Co.

We are carrying a nice line of boys' tans and ox bloods that it will pay you to investigate. Bennett & Luby.

WITH every 50 cent cash purchase you get a coupon on the wheel to be given away April 22. Bennett & Luby.

BEFORE you buy that spring dress material see that nobby line of ours and of all things get the prices. Bort, Bailey & Co.

OLD harness made new, single harness washed, dyed and oiled 75 cents, double harness \$1.25. H. F. Sadler, 15 South Main street.

DR. McPHERON is having a telephone put in his office. His patrons can now have glasses fitted and eyes and ears treated without going to the doctor's office.

The fire department was called to the Bailey bathing mill just before noon today. The fire was in the "packing room," and the damage was about \$50. There was no insurance.

PHREATLEY'S black dress goods are the best quality and the finest color of any. Look for the name to make sure of obtaining the best. We sell these goods. Bort, Bailey & Co.

OUR men's \$3 tan shoes are equal to any \$3.50 in the city; our \$3.50 to any \$4 shoe; our \$4 to any \$5; and our \$5 goods are certainly as nice as you ever saw. Come in and see our spring goods. Richardson.

MISS BELLINGHAUSEN, the Chicago milliner, 159 West Milwaukee street, will have her spring opening of millinery on Wednesday of this week. All the latest and newest styles in ladies' hats will be shown.

OUR assortment of belts is complete, commencing with the plaid belts at 10 cents, large assortment at 25 cents. We have the new metal belt at 50 cents. Belts in all colors at 25 cents at Hoffmaster's.

No person will object to saving money even though the amount may be small, on some of the articles bought. We are selling dry goods of all kinds cheaper than other houses in the city. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THE Christian Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church will hold its monthly business meeting and social in the church parlors this evening. Committees are requested to meet promptly at 7:30 o'clock. Margaret Henderson.

NOTHING so disappointing as the failure of garden or flower seeds to grow after planting. We have the agency for Landreth & Sons seeds this season and recommend them personally as the best on the market. If you intend using seeds this season be sure and get the Landreth & Sons brand. Sanborn & Co.

MANY people in Janesville are not feeling well this spring. M. Alden Morehouse, the specialist, strives to rally the weakened forces and increase vitality. To build up and strengthen the entire system until disease disappears. To cure the disease by removing the cause. Such cures are permanent. Consultation free. Murdock Flats, North Franklin street.

CHAS. SCHMIDT, of Jefferson, was struck in the eye on Saturday, causing the internal muscle to be torn from the eyeball. Dr. McPheron took the case under treatment yesterday and will operate to fasten the muscle to the eye again. Such an injury is said to be very rare and very dangerous. The doctor says he had a like case about eight years ago, the man being hit on the eye with a stone.

ATTEND the grand millinery opening at Mrs. Woodstock's Friday and Saturday of this week, April 2 and 3. We carry the largest stock and nobbiest styles in the market and employ the best experienced trimmers in the city. We are not experimenting at the public's expense but years of experience, artistically executed work and fair dealing brings us to the front. We lead in style, the rest copy. Come one and all and see the beautiful hats and bonnets.

## NEW LADIES LODGE IS TO BE FORMED

AUXILIARY TO THE KNIGHTS  
OF PYTHIAS.

Only the Wives, Widows, Mothers, Daughters, or Sisters of Members of the Latter Order Are Eligible, And Knights Can Only Be Honorary Members—Agents Are Here.

An attempt to form a ladies' auxiliary to the local lodge of Knights of Pythias, bids fair to be successful. During the last few days, Mrs. J. W. Campbell and Mrs. Johnson, representatives of the Grand Temple of Rathbone Sisters of Wisconsin, with headquarters at Milwaukee, have been in the city making arrangements for the organizing of the lodge.

It is said that they have not met with the encouragement that they expected, but they are still confident.

Although organized originally as the result of action of the Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias, the Rathbone Sisters is to all intents and purposes an independent order, although, in order to become a member, one must be the wife, widow, mother, daughter or sister of a Knight, while Knights themselves can become honorary members only.

Only ladies over eighteen years of age will be permitted to join and not less than fifteen charter members will be needed to organize the lodge.

It is expected that fifty women will be at the state gathering of the Knight Pythias to be held in this city in May in the interest of the Grand Temple and if a lodge is not formed here within the next few days the matter will be vigorously pushed at the state session.

## THE VAN ETNA CASE IN COURT

Income Is Cut Down to \$1,000 a Year By the Court.

Judge Bennett ordered this morning that George VanEtna's annual income be reduced from \$2,400 to \$1,000 per year.

This ruling was made on the motion of several of Mr. VanEtna's creditors who appeared in court this morning, each eagerly clamoring for money which they claimed Mr. VanEtna owed them.

The testimony given by several witnesses convinced the court that something should be done, so after hearing the facts in the case it was ordered that Mr. VanEtna's annual stipend be cut down in order that creditors might be paid.

Mr. VanEtna, it is said, is making an honest effort to reduce his indebtedness, and at the rate he has been paying up will soon be free of debt. His income, above the sum of \$1,000, will now be paid to the creditors in rotation.

The petition of Lyman S. Borden of Milton, an insolvent debtor, was heard by the court this morning and the petitioner was adjudged to be insolvent.

## REACH HIGH MARK IN RIVER

Saturday Night's Stage Was 56 Inches Above the Bolt.

The highest mark that the river has reached this season was attained Saturday night when the indicator registered 56 inches "above the bolt." The false report that the dam at Indian Ford had gone out frightened many of the tobacco dealers and merchants whose places of business bordered on the river. There was lively work in many a basement last evening in the removal of goods to places of safety in anticipation of a flood.

## J. M. KNEFF TO KEEP SHOP

Will Remain in Business at the Old Stand in Jackson Block.

John M. Knuff, who for years was the senior member of the tailoring firm of Knuff & Allen, is to engage in business for himself, and has rented the store in the Jackson block that has been the headquarters for this firm for a long time. Mr. Knuff is widely known as a thorough master of his profession, and that he will get a large trade, goes without saying.

## SING ERMINIE AT EDGERTON.

Local Opera Company Will Visit the Tobacco Town on Friday.

The opera "Erminie" which was given by local talent will be given by the same company in Edgerton on Friday evening for the benefit of the public schools of that city. The role of Erminie will be taken by Miss Helen Gunderson.

## A. J. HARRIS TO BE MARRIED.

Will Wed Miss Pearl Wilcox on Wednesday, April 7.

At Clinton on April 7 will be solemnized the marriage of Miss Pearl Wilcox to Arthur J. Harris of this city. Both bride and groom are well known and a number from this city will be in attendance at the wedding. They will make their home in this city.

## BASKET BALL CHAMPIONSHIP.

The Local Team May Meet Milwaukee At Waukesha.

Whether Janesville or Milwaukee high school team is entitled to the state basket ball championship remains to be settled, as each team has won a game. The intention now is to play the decisive game at Waukesha.

You can afford to have fruit on the table all of the time at the price Sanborn sells it these days.

MAYOR Frank S. Baines has declined the democratic nomination for supervisor from the First ward.

## PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO.

C. S. GRAVES was in Madison.

A. A. JACKSON was in Madison.

MISS KATE CLARK was in Chicago.

C. M. TALLMAN was here from Delavan.

C. H. EVERHART was here from Madison.

EDWIN MULFORD was up from Rockford.

C. A. SANBORN spent the day in Chicago.

T. W. GRAY was down from White-water.

W. T. VANKIRK spent the day in Madison.

Mrs. A. H. Sheldon is home from Madison.

FRED WOODRUFF spent the day in Edgerton.

ATTORNEY Towne was down from Edgerton.

EDWIN PHILLIPS leaves tomorrow for Waukesha.

G. W. GARDEN of Albany, was at the Park Hotel.

A. M. VALENTINE is home from Lake Koshkonong.

T. J. ANDERSON is enjoying life at Lake Koshkonong.

REV. DR. SABIN HALSEY spent the day in Milwaukee.

Ms. and Mrs. George F. Kimball are home from Chicago.

MISS ELIZABETH TODD, of Beloit, spent the day in town.

ATTORNEY B. F. Dunwiddie left this morning for Brodhead.

B. McDERMOTT a prominent Oregon merchant, was in town.

Mrs. J. H. NICHOLSON spent the day with relatives in Monroe.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY W. A. Jackson spent the day in Clinton.

L. D. SMITH and G. L. Edwardson of Monroe, were in town.

Miss Ella Lane left this morning for her home in Evanston, Ill.

MARSHAL Charles Brink of Evansville, greeted local friends.

Ms. and Mrs. M. V. Pratt of Evansville, spent the day in town.

JONATHAN ELLIS leaves Thursday for his home in Dover, Canada.

Mrs. GEORGE MORAN of Beloit, spent the day with local relatives.

REV. B. K. MANATON, now of Stoughton, spent the day in town.

A. ROSS, a whiskey salesman from Louisville, Ky., is in the local market.

MISS CLARA SCHNELL, of Kankakee, Ill., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Graves.

W. A. THOMPSON, who has been at Oak Lawn Hospital for some time is getting better.

WARREN P. BEHAN, of Chicago, who has been visiting in the city returned home this evening.

Miss Ethel Halsey and Miss Sueie Lowell leave in the morning for Evanston to resume their studies.

H. M. EDWARDS, of the Richardson Shoe company, has been in Chicago during the past three days.

MISS ANNE YAHN and Beatrice Prellar returned last evening after spending a week in Chicago.

DR. W. H. Judd and J. F. Pamber attended the state meeting of physicians held at Madison today.

Miss EMMA LOVENTREN left last evening via the Northwestern road, for her future home in Fresno, California.

Miss Lovila Mosher left this morning for Waukesha, to assume her duties as teacher at the industrial school.

PROFESSOR I. N. STEWART of the Milwaukee Journal, spent Sunday as the guest of Mrs. Abbie B. Perry, 103 West Bluff street.

DR. WILLIAM HORNE is home, after a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Hockaday, at Honey Grove, Texas. The doctor brought back several mementoes of his trip, the most prized of all being the handsome gold headed cane presented him by Mr. Hockaday at a reception held in the doctor's honor. The head of the cane is handsomely engraved, and the staff is of the handsome Boisd'arc wood.

Mrs. W. A. MORRIS & Co's millinery opening Wednesday afternoon and Thursday. Ladies particularly invited to inspect the beautiful display.

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## DEALERS BUY SUGAR IN WHOLESALE LOTS

ONE LOCAL GROCERY FIRM INVESTS HEAVILY.

Got a Whole Carload, or 30,000 Pounds, in One Consignment—Largest Single Order Ever Sent to this City—Tariff Changes the Reason For Action.

The effect of the "tariff" question, that is now being agitated at the national capital has reached Janesville, and local grocersmen have of late invested heavily in sugar. This is done in order that purchases may be made now before the tariff on sugar is settled, in hopes of a raise. The largest single shipment of sugar for one firm arrived yesterday for Skelly & Wilbur. It consisted of a car loaded with 30,000 pounds of the best granulated grade. Other large purchases, it is said, were closed today by other firms with wholesale houses in Chicago, the deliveries to be made at today's prices.

## JOSEPH MURTY CANNOT LIVE.

The Popular C. M. & St. P. Fireman Now Lies at Death's Door.

First Vice Grand Master John H. Hannihan of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, was in the city yesterday and paid to Joseph Murty \$1,500. This sum is paid to each member of the order who is permanently disabled, or it is paid to relatives on the death of a member. Mr. Murty's condition is now considered critical.

## IN THE VALLEY OF THE SHADOW

William Bauman.

A. W. Bauman received a telegram from Watertown, Wis., announcing the death of his father, William Bauman, which occurred in that place yesterday morning of pneumonia. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon.

## Notice To Voters.

By request of numerous tax payers and citizens of the city of Janesville, I hereby announce myself as an independent candidate for the office of street commissioner; and if elected, I promise to fill the office to the best of my ability, as I have during the past two years.

J. H. WATSON.

As the warehouse of S. Grundy was closed for the season the foreman, Bert Richardson, was the recipient of a handsome gold ring from the employees of that establishment as a mark of esteem. He passed fruit and candy to all the employees and thanked them for the gift.

## Shirt Waists

For Spring.....

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PERCALE AND

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New patterns, late designs in large scrolls, stylish sleeves and detachable collars and cuffs. Prices 50c, 75c, 85c and \$1.00. The waists this season are certainly handsome, and as they form one of the principal adjuncts to woman's summer wardrobe, every lady is interested in the goods for the coming season.

I have also a very complete line of pretty shirt waists for the children at 25c, 35c, 50c.

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New line of Shirt Waists just in.

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Stiff and Soft Felt Hats foremost for quality and wear.

New Spring Styles on sale.

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Copper Bottom No. 9..... 90c

All Copper No. 9..... \$2.00

12 quart Granite Pail..... 50c

Granite Kettle, 5 quart... 35c

Granite ware of all descriptions at proportionate prices.

Bissell Carpet Sweeper, best made \$2.00

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## ALUMINUM MANDOLINS and GUITARS.

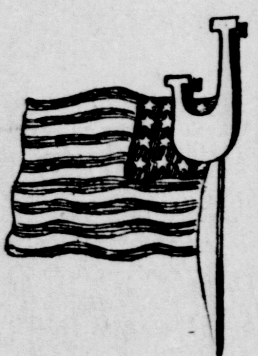
Beautiful tone and far ahead of the wood instruments on account of not warping and cracking. We invite you in to see them.



A LIVING TELEPHONE

MACHINE WHICH A DEAF MUTE CARRIES WITH HIM.

An Inventor with Many Ambitions—Penniless, Without Friends, He Has Set Out on Foot for the Patent Office.



C. CHESTER is a living telephone. He is a deaf mute, and he has devised an apparatus which enables him to carry on a conversation. He hails from Glendive, Mont., and is traveling about the country giving exhibitions, says the New York Journal.

He is not a true deaf mute in the sense that Laura Bridgman was. He has a certain sense of hearing and can utter a few guttural sounds. But he is going to do more. He expects to hear and speak intelligibly. His scheme is to fit a telephone to his body so that where he travels it will travel also. When he lies down the telephone lies down. When he walks the telephone walks. His body is the body of the telephone, and there is no life in either without the other. He is a living telephone, able to hear and speak through space. In spite of a great deal of fun that has been poked at him since the conception of his invention he has gone on undismayed, until now it—or he—stands completed! It is an actual thing, and is now on the way to Washington with him. He is tramping it to the capital to exhibit it—and himself. And he hopes to make a fortune for himself as well as to confer a great benefit upon deaf and dumb mankind. This living telephone is a bulky fellow. He wears under his clothes, almost next to his body, a great many coils of insulated wire. These are carried around the waist many times, like a lady's ribbon, and, being slender, they do not hurt him or cause him any inconvenience. In one hip pocket there is a bulky package. It is not heavy, but it sticks out with a hump that cannot be concealed. It is a dry battery and is related to the wire in an important way. The first thing the observer notes is a large receiver, similar to the one used on a telephone. This is attached to the left ear. It is a powerful sound-receiver. Attached to it is a wire that can be connected with the teeth, in case the mute cannot hear with the receiver. He has found by many experiments that the dulled nerves of the ear are quickened by these powerful electrical appliances and that he does hear. It is a vague, uncertain hearing, but a great deal better than none at all. It is more a vibration than a hearing. He gets a murmur of sounds, not as clear as given by the salt-peter solution in which hands can be dipped, but clear enough for every day use and more convenient than the basin of fluid now so commonly used by deaf mutes to get sound vibration. The funniest part of the apparatus is found in the transmitter and receiver that hangs at the side. There is a hook upon which the transmitter is suspended and a receiver for the sound. Both of them are for the use of the public. Should you meet this walking telephone upon the road he would offer you the transmitter and receiver that hangs upon the hook. The receiver you would place to the ear and you would talk through the transmitter. The deaf mute would listen intently, the sound being much assisted by the receiver in his ear. When he replies he speaks through a tin horn connecting with the wires and trusts to the carrying effect of the telephone. In this way he can converse over a space of several feet as easily as any other man. But it is in public halls and assemblies that this machine is expected to do its best work. Here the telephone can be connected at the stage and the mute in the audience will get the full sound. There are many patents involved in this machine, for the inventor has borrowed freely from all the known devices. But he hopes he will be forgiven for the sake of the human race. Never was man more impressed with the worthiness of his own mission. Penniless, on foot, without friends, he has set out for Washington and the patent office. He is convinced that all who take the trouble to examine his walking telephone will admire it, and that means money enough for all the patents required. He has raised himself from a poor, worthless fellow to be an inventor of at least many ambitions, and, who knows, he may yet be the Edison of sound for the deaf.

A Useful Invention.

To hold a cake of soap ready for use a new device has an indestructible open-mesh net, a hanger into the lower part of which the mouth of the net is gathered and a locking device for securing the ends, the whole being fastened to the back of a scrubbing or flesh brush.

Holds Her Age.

Mrs. Wainwood—I was speaking with Miss Elder to-day. She says that everybody tells her that she holds her age remarkably. Mrs. Grimm—Yes; she has been 30 for the last six years, to my knowledge.—Boston Transcript.

An Unconfirmed Rumor.

Johnny—Papa? Papa—Well? Johnny—Some of the boys in school say that President McKinley is going to have Mark Hanna's birthday made a national holiday. Is it true?—Brooklyn Life.

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Election Notice.

Office of City Clerk, March 26, 1897. City of Janesville, Wis. To the electors of the city of Janesville: Notice is hereby given that a municipal election is to be held in the several wards and election precincts in the city of Janesville, on the sixth day of April, 1897, at which the officers named below are to be chosen:

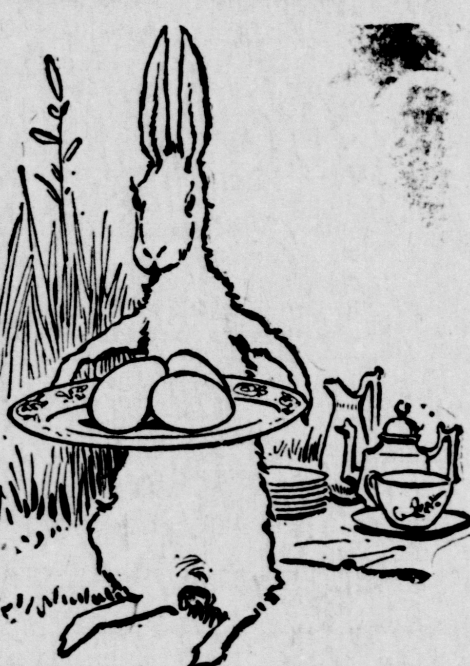
- A mayor.
- A city clerk.
- A street commissioner.
- A school commissioner at large.
- A justice of the peace.
- A sealer of weights and measures.
- An alderman, supervisor and constable in each ward.
- A school commissioner in the First, Third and Fifth wards.
- An alderman in the First ward to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of S. B. Hedges.

The polls at the several precincts will be open at 10 o'clock a. m. and close at seven o'clock p. m. The precincts of the several wards are located as follows: First precinct First ward. Building owned by the city on North River street, north of engine house. Second precinct First ward. Building owned by the city on Terrace street, on the land of Croft estate. First precinct, Second ward, at No. 15 1/2 North Main street. Second precinct, Second ward, building owned by John Thoroughgood, at the northwest corner of Fourth avenue and North Main street. First precinct, Third ward, building owned by W. H. Conrad, near east end of Court Street bridge. Second precinct, Third ward, building owned by the city on Racine street, east of and near South Main street. First precinct, Fourth ward, at No. 16 South River street. Second precinct, Fourth ward, at No. 53 South Academy street. Fifth ward, building owned by the city on Holmes street, near Center avenue. By order of the Common Council. A. E. BADGER, City Clerk.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In Probate: Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 10th day of March, 1897, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered: The application of Frank D. Kimball for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Wilhelm Muenke, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased. Dated, Feb. 23, 1897. By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY.—In Probate. Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the county court to be held in and for said county at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the third Tuesday, being the 10th day of April, 1897, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered: The application of Charles E. Bowles, for the adjustment and allowance of his account as executor of the will of Sarah C. Guernsey, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to such other persons as by law and the will of said deceased are entitled thereto.—Dated March 9, 1897. By the court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

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THE RAILROAD TIME-TABLES

Chicago & Northwestern	LEAVE FOR	ARRIVE FROM
Chgo Via Clinton*	6:40 a m	9:30 p m
Chgo Via Clinton & Eau Claire	7:55 a m	8:35 p m
Chgo Via Clinton & Sharon	12:30 p m	12:40 p m
Chgo Via Clinton, Sharon & Beloit	7:20 p m	12:40 a m
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	7:40 a m	6:30 a m
Beloit, Dekalb & Omaha	2:10 p m	11:35 a m
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, & Elgin	12:25 p m	10:45 a m
Watertown, Fond Du Lac & Oshkosh	7:20 p m	10:25 p m
Watertown, Fond Du Lac, Waukesha & Milwaukee	7:00 a m	12:15 p m
Watertown & Juneau Freight	12:45 p m	10:40 p m
Watertown	4:00 p m	7:50 a m
Evansville Brooklyn Oregon	8:40 p m	7:50 a m
Madison, Elroy, LaCrosse, Winona & points in Minn & Dak	6:30 a m	.....
Evansville Madison Elroy	10:50 a m	8:05 p m
LaCrosse Winona & St. Paul	9:30 a m	8:05 p m
Leyden Fellows Evansville Brooklyn Oregon & Madison	8:05 p m	12:05 p m
Evansville Madison St Paul & Duluth	9:30 p m	7:20 p m
Evansville Madison St Paul, Winona & Dakota	12:45 a m	7:20 p m
Evansville Madison & Elroy	7:30 a m	.....
Chgo Via Beloit & Harvard	2:15 p m	15 p m
*Daily & Sunday only		

Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul.	Leave For	Arrive From
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit	*1:10 p m	12:50 p m
Milwaukee Whitewater, Waukesha and Chicago	7:00 a m	9:30 a m
.....	7:30 a m	.....
.....	10:05 a m	6:25 p m
St. Paul, La Crosse, Portage and Madison	4:40 p m	7:45 p m
.....	9:40 a m	9:17 a m
Edgerton, Stoughton and Madison, mixed	4:40 p m	11:15 a m
Dakota, Iowa, Minnesota and Freeport & Oshkosh	7:00 p m	6:30 p m
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford and Beloit, (daily)	9:35 a m	4:10 p m
Chicago, Elgin, Rockford, Beloit	11:30 a m	6:00 p m
Kansas City through train Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Savanna, Dubuque, Rock Island, Cedar Rapids, Ia., Racine, Elkhorn and Delavan	11:30 a m	.....
Beloit, Rockford, Savanna, Sioux City, Omaha, Denver and west fast train	11:50 a m	4:05 p m
Monroe and Mineral Point	6:35 p m	8:40 a m
Monroe and Mineral Pt. mixed	9:30 a m	4:05 p m
Monroe, Freeport & Mineral Pt. Sunday only	6:15 a m	4:00 p m
.....	8:00 a m	3:30 p m
.....	10:00 a m	.....
*Daily except Sunday.		

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JANESVILLE MAILS.	Arrive.	Close.
Chicago, East, West, South-west	6:00 a m	9:00 a m
North and Northwest	7:35 a m	10:00 a m
Chicago, East, North and Northwest	9:40 a m	12:00 m
Chicago, North, East, West and General	12:40 p m	6:00 p m
Chicago, East and all points North and West, via Madison	6:00 p m	8:00 p m
Isola	11:30 a m	.....
SUNDAY MAILS.		
Chicago, East, South and Southwest	6:00 a m	6:00 p m
North, Northwest, etc.	6:30 p m	7:00 p m
KODWAY ONLY.		
Chicago, East, West and South	.....	7:00 a m
STAGE MAILS.		
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## BETSY AND THE FLAG

AN INTERESTING RELIC DISCOVERED IN PHILADELPHIA.

Made George Washington's Shirts—No Record of Who Designed the Stars and Stripes of Old Glory—Some Reminiscences.



IT IS singular that among all the woman associations founded upon the memories of the American revolution no one has ever thought proper to keep green the memory of Betsy Ross, the Quaker lady of Philadelphia, who made with her own hands the first flag of the Union, the stars and stripes, with thirteen stars, says the New York Herald. It remained for mere accident to revive interest in this woman, who, while not exactly a Molly Pitcher or a Molly Stark, played so important a part in the history of the country. It seems that a certain Charles P. Mund of Philadelphia now occupies the old house, 239 Arch street, once the home of the Ross family. In 1776 Mrs. Ross, who was an upholsterer and expert needlewoman, lived in a two-story tenement in Philadelphia, still standing and now numbered 239 Arch street. To her came Gen. Washington and Robert Morris, with a roughly drawn design for an American flag, and requested her to make one to present to congress for adoption. At Mrs. Ross' suggestion, Gen. Washington went into her back parlor and redrew the design. Mrs. Ross, who knew Washington well and used to ruff his shirts and make his lace neckties, made the flag according to his drawing. It was accepted by congress and is supposed to have been the first stars and stripes, the first "Old Glory" ever flung to heaven. The Ross family moved away and the old house was bought by a family named Mund. The present owner is Charles P. Mund, a small merchant, who lives over his shop. Knowing the traditions of the house, which is more or less a curiosity in Philadelphia, since it remains in precisely the condition it was in when Washington used to fuss there over his ruffles and laces, Mr. Mund keeps a stock of flags on hand and stores them in a small alcove in the attic. On the occasion of the recent visit of Li Hung Chang to Philadelphia citizens were requested to decorate their houses with bunting. Mr. Mund went up to the attic to get out his supply of new flags, when he discovered, away back in the alcove, still another flag, of which he knew nothing. Covered with the dust and grime of a century and its colors sadly faded, Mr. Mund pulled out an old American flag with the thirteen stars sewed onto the material just as Mrs. Ross had sewn them on the flag she made for Washington. It seems probable, if not certain, then, that this was a pattern or first trial of the flag, and not being satisfied with her handiwork, she had made another, which she sent to congress. Curiously enough, history throws no light on the question as to who designed the drawing of the flag that Washington first brought to Betsy Ross. Congressional records make no mention of such a design, nor do any of the innumerable letters and diaries of the day. Mr. William J. Canby in 1870 read a paper before the Historical society of Pennsylvania, in which he said that his maternal grandmother had as much as any one to do with the design, and as no one has ever contradicted him it seems possible that the design was "cooked up," gone over, and finally completed that day in the little back parlor by Washington, Morris and Betsy Ross. As to the fact that Mrs. Ross actually made the first stars and stripes, there is indisputable proof. Mr. Canby, soon after reading his paper, which caused considerable controversy at the time, wrote an open letter in which he said: "It is not tradition; it is report, from the lips of the principal participants in the transaction, directly told, not to one or two but a dozen of living witnesses, of whom I myself am one, being a boy of 11 when Mrs. Ross died in our house, and well remember her telling the story. My mother and two of her sisters are living (this was written in 1870) and I often heard the narrative from their lips. The occasion was prior to the declaration of independence. I fix the date to be during Washington's visit to congress from New York, when he came to confer upon the affairs of the army, the adoption of a flag no doubt being one of them." Granted, then, and even Preble grants that Mrs. Ross did make the first flag and may have had something to do with its design, the question arises, When were these stars and stripes first flung to the breeze? Canby contends that the stars and stripes were in common use soon after the declaration of independence. Admiral Preble says not, and for a year at least there seems to have been a jumble of the continental and state flags with the stars and stripes.

## More Power from Niagara.

The directors of the Niagara Falls Power company have authorized the construction of five 5,000 horse-power turbines, with accompanying dynamos, for their works at Niagara Falls. When these are completed the falls will be generating 35,000 horse-power of electricity. By the close of the year this will be increased to 50,000. The contracts for the five turbines amount to \$500,000. The works at Niagara have already cost \$6,000,000.

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## BUSINESS WOMEN'S HOME.

What Is Being Done In This Field In New York by Mrs. Dunlop Hopkins.

There are thousands of self supporting working women in every large city in the United States. In New York alone there are 70,000 professional women, 200,000 working girls and 9,700 students in art schools, conservatories and colleges. These women, with the exception of the very few thousands who live with friends or relatives, find their only substitute for homes in east side hotels and second rate boarding houses. The average working girl finds the only solution of the home problem in the hall bedroom.

In Chicago, San Francisco and Denver this has been achieved in a modest way, but nothing adequate to the needs of New York has been suggested or in anyway brought before the public until Mrs. Dunlop Hopkins conceived the idea of erecting a series of buildings, handsome, spacious, comfortable and practical, adapted to the requirements of the working women of New York.

Designs for the first four of the series, the business woman's hotel, the art students' home, the clubhouse and the model tenement, are already completed. It is calculated that at least two, if not the entire series, will be well under way early in the spring.

The architects for this scheme of women's buildings, which is the most elaborate in the United States, if not in the world, are Miss Mary Gannon and Miss Alice Hands, partners, friends and former pupils of the New York School of Applied Design.

"The crying need of the hour," Mrs. Hopkins said in speaking of this vast scheme, "is the providing of a proper home for the hosts of working women that are filling up our cities. Not one home or building, but many of them."

"When I decided to put into operation the plan for a home or hotel for art students I took all my ideas and sketches and submitted them to the students at the league. It was not a question of what I wanted or what Mrs. Fred Vanderbilt might think sensible or Mr. Gilder might approve. We might all make good suggestions, but art students are to live in the building, and I want it to be adapted to the needs and so far as possible wishes of the women who are to occupy it."

"In the same manner I consulted business women about a business woman's hotel. I talked with professional women, with lawyers, journalists and teachers and modeled the design of an apartment house and hotel for them on their own views of what was most practical and desirable."

The business woman's hotel will be divided into a series of small apartments and single rooms. The single rooms will be arranged in groups of six, with one parlor and bath for each group. This arrangement enables each girl to have her "private" parlor one night in the week and to have a pleasant place for reunion on Sundays. Smaller apartments of one or two bedrooms, parlor and bath are planned for the women with a larger weekly stipend.

The question of the latchkey, which as a destroyer of working women's "homes" has proved more disastrous than fire or water, will not be broached in any of the series of buildings designed by Mrs. Hopkins. "Working women," she declared, "need less, not more, restrictions than other women."

When asked if charity in any form would be required to carry on these buildings, Mrs. Hopkins said: "I do not see why a practical financial project should seek the aid of charity. Each of these buildings will be self supporting, a business investment, which is expected will realize from 6 to 8 per cent on all capital. It is figured out that the expense of living, say, for instance, in the art students' home, will range from \$4 to \$6 for single rooms, including meals, but the girl paying \$4 will be as independent from any money obligation as any guest at the Waldorf."

## Scrub Brush and Mop.

"The scrub brush as a method of cleaning floors, though in extensive use in this section of the country and even more so in parts farther south," remarked a New England lady who took a prominent part in the recent mothers' congress, "long since went out of use in the New England states and never did have much of a place in the progressive new cities of the west. In its place, a mop at the end of a stick is used. The mop does much better work, as we look at it, and besides can be used without getting down on all fours, which is hard work in itself. A woman can do double as much work with a mop and in half the time as can be done with the scrub brush. Personally I had supposed that the scrub brush had gone out of use everywhere until I saw scrubwomen using it at the hotel where I am stopping and afterward in the corridors in one of the department buildings. It is 25 years behind the times, is untidy and does not secure the results that a mop or long handled scrub brush secures."—Washington Star

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## ELECTION NOTICE.

OFFICE OF CITY CLERK, March 30, 1897.

To the Electors of the City of Janesville:

Notice is hereby given that a municipal election is to be held in the several wards and election precincts in the city of Janesville on the sixth day of April, 1897, at which the officers named below are to be chosen. The names of the candidates for each office to be voted for, whose nominations have been certified to this office, are given under the appropriate party or other designation, each in its proper column, and the questions submitted to a vote are stated below:

## Information to Voters.

The following instructions are given for the information and guidance of voters: A voter upon entering the polling place, and giving his name and residence, will receive a ballot from the ballot clerk, which must have endorsed thereon the names or initials of both ballot clerks, and no other can be used. Upon receiving his ballot, voter must retire, alone, to a booth or compartment, and prepare the same for voting. A ballot clerk may inform the voter as to the proper manner of marking a ballot, but he must not advise or indicate in any manner whom to vote for. The voter if he wishes to vote for all the candidates nominated by any party, should make a cross mark, X, under the party designation printed at the top of the ballot in the square made for that purpose. A ballot so marked and having no other mark, will be counted for all of the candidates of that party in the column underneath, unless the names of some of the candidates of the party have been erased and will be counted for all names written in lieu of one erased, or pasted over a printed name. If the voter wishes to vote for some of the candidates of different political parties he should make a cross mark, X, after the name of each candidate he does desire to vote for. If he wishes to vote for a person for a certain office, whose name is not on the ballot, he must write the name in the blank space under the printed name of the candidate for the office. The ballot should not be marked in any other manner. If the ballot be spoiled it must be returned to the ballot clerk, who must issue another in its stead, but not more than three in all to any one voter. Five minutes' time is allowed in booth to mark ballot. Unofficial ballots or memoranda to assist the voter in marking his ballot can be taken into the booth and may be used to copy from. The ballot must not be shown so that any person can see how it has been marked by the voter. After it is marked it should be folded so that the inside cannot be seen, but so that the printed endorsements and signatures of the ballot clerks on the outside may be seen. Then the voter should pass out of the booth, give his name to the inspector in charge of the ballot box, hand him his ballot to be placed in the box and pass out of the voting place. A voter who declares to the presiding officer that he is unable to read, or that by reason of physical disability he is unable to mark his ballot, can have assistance of one or two election officers in marking the same, to be chosen by the voter. The presiding officer may administer an oath, in his discretion, as to such person's disability. The party designations and candidates for the different offices are as follows:

Democratic Ticket.	Republican Ticket.	Individual Nominations, Citizens Ticket.
<b>Municipal Ticket.</b>		
For Mayor.....	JOHN THOROUGHGOOD.....	STUART B. HEDDLES.....
For City Clerk.....	THOMAS D. DOWLING.....	ARTHUR E. BADGER.....
For Street Commissioner.....	CHARLES H. CARPENTER.....	G. GEORGE H. PALMER.....
For School Commissioner at Large.....	WILLIAM BUGGS.....	CHARLES L. VALENTINE.....
For Justice of the Peace.....	FERDINAND QUINN.....	PAFAYETTE PATTEN.....
For Sealer of Weights and Measures.....		GEORGE H. DAVEY.....
<b>First Ward Ticket.</b>		
For Alderman—2 years.....	JOSEPH P. BAKER.....	WALTER S. RICE.....
For Alderman—1 year, to fill vacancy.....	WALTER A. JOHNSON.....	FRANK E. FIFIELD.....
For Supervisor.....	FRANK S. BAINES.....	CHARLES E. BOWLES.....
For School Commissioner.....	EDWARD O. SMITH.....	JAMES SHEARER.....
For Constable.....	MAURICE CRALL.....	JAMES L. HARPER.....
<b>Second Ward Ticket.</b>		
For Alderman.....	JOHN W. PETERS.....	SAMUEL C. BURNHAM.....
For Supervisor.....	WILLIAM HADDEN.....	CLINTON D. CHILD.....
For Constable.....	JOHN W. RICHARDSON.....	ALONZO K. CUTTS.....
<b>Third Ward Ticket.</b>		
For Alderman.....	PETER E. NEUSES.....	HERBERT S. GILKEY.....
For Supervisor.....	JOHN SOULMAN.....	JOSEPH L. BEAR.....
For School Commissioner.....	CHARLES C. RUSSELL.....	JOHN CUNNINGHAM.....
For Constable.....	HERMAN ZIMMERMAN.....	WALLACE COCHRANE.....
<b>Fourth Ward Ticket.</b>		
For Alderman.....	FRED KOTHMAN.....	FREDERICK M. MARZLUFF.....
For Supervisor.....	AUGUST LUTZ.....	JOHN M. WHITEHEAD.....
For Constable.....	JOHN W. HOGAN.....	DAVID LAWRENCE.....
<b>Fifth Ward Ticket.</b>		
For Alderman.....	JAMES B. McLEAN.....	CHARLES M. WARREN.....
For Supervisor.....	EDWARD RATHERAM.....	J. WARREN HODGDON.....
For School Commissioner.....	PETER J. MOUAT.....	JAMES G. WRAY.....
For Constable.....	EDWARD SMITH.....	ALFRED W. MITCHELL.....

The polls at the several precincts will be open at six o'clock a. m. and close at seven o'clock p. m.

The precincts of the several wards are located as follows:

First Precinct, First Ward—The building owned by the city on North River street, north of the engine house.

Second Precinct, First Ward—The building owned by the city on Terra-ce street, on the land of Croft estate.

First Precinct, Second Ward—At No. 15 1/2 North Main street.

Second Precinct, Second Ward—The building owned by John Thoroughgood at the northwest corner of Fourth avenue and North Main street.

First Precinct, Third Ward—The building owned by W. B. Conrad, near east end of Court street bridge.

Second Precinct, Third Ward—The building owned by the city on Racine street, east of and near South Main street.

First Precinct, Fourth Ward—At No. 16 South River street.

Second Precinct, Fourth Ward—At No. 53 South Academy street.

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